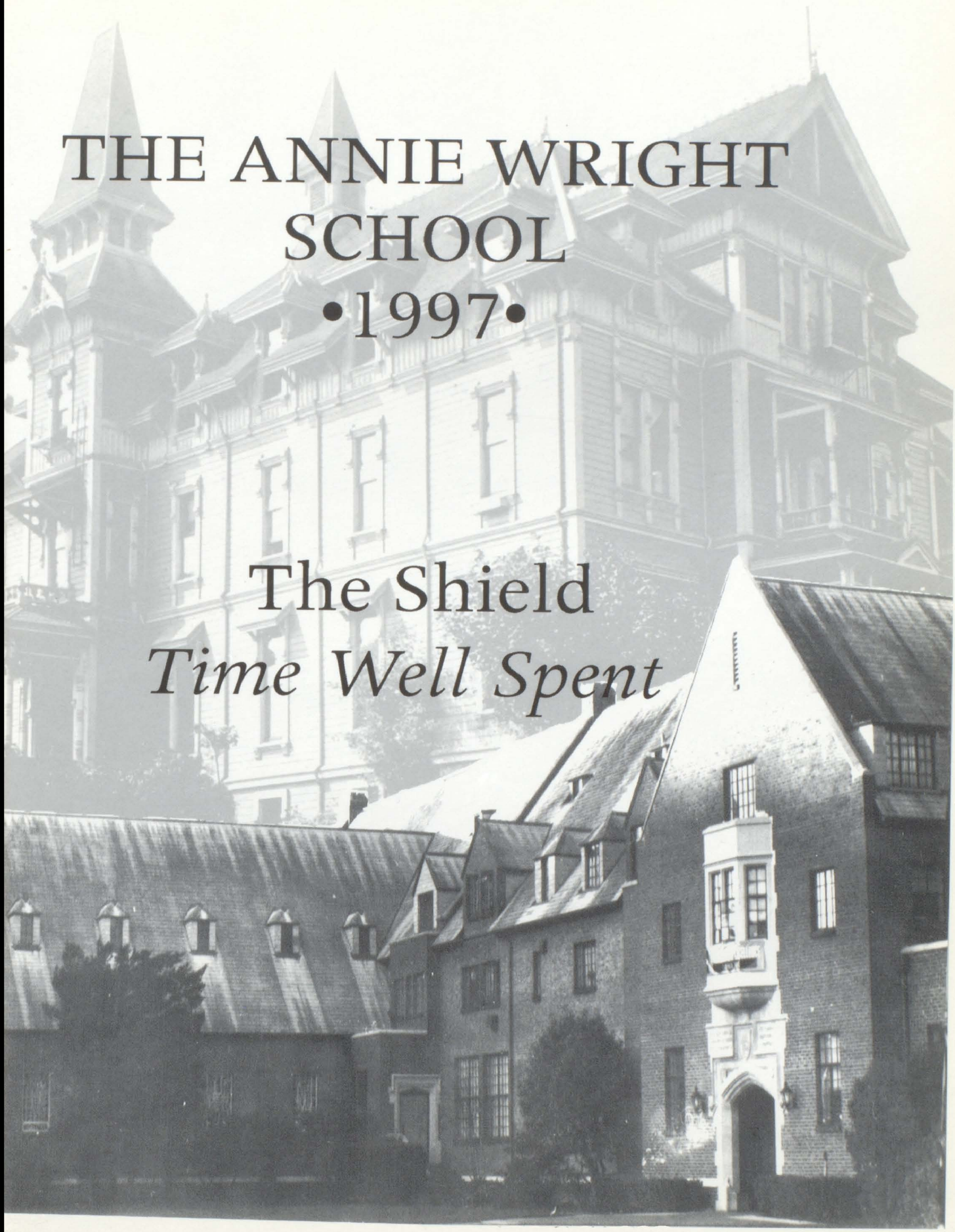
The Annie Wright School

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TIME *Well Spent*



Why is our time well spent at Annie Wright? Time is well spent here because of the environment which we all create: a civil and inclusive environment that welcomes everyone into the school community, enabling growth and change to occur.

Time is well spent at Annie Wright because the process of growing up for our students involves all portions of the school community.

Many of us think that our time has been well spent



BELOW: A time for joy...Middle schooler Hillary Bruce jokes around with friends Brett Meager and Casey Leo.



ABOVE: A time to laugh...Upper schoolers Hiori Eijima, Kelly Blume, and Shelby Nutter

because we see students leaving the Annie Wright School who know that they have done something significant with their lives while here.

Annie Wright is but a phase in our lives. We hope this phase helps to train our students to manage the change which the future phases of their lives will surely bring. But that is the future. We hope that what is in the past, the time spent at Annie Wright, has been time well spent.

-Robert Klarsch,
Headmaster



ABOVE: A time for peace... Lower schoolers Andrew Nakayama, Mack Konigsfeld, Alex Ristubenm, Daniel Golston, and Max King

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Marianne Picha poses with her newfound best friend.



What are these middle schoolers up to?



Lower school students take a break from recess to pose for the camera.



Happy freshmen at orientation.



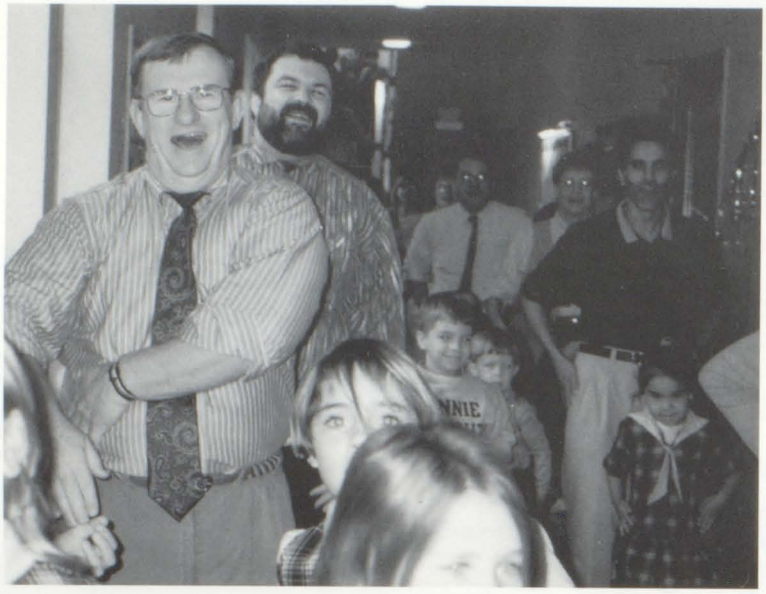
Kate Monthy, Sierra Thompson, and Gillian Wood show off their fine white teeth.

The TIME *of our lives*

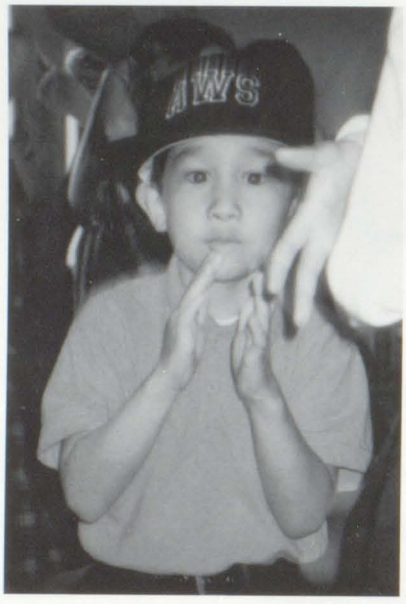


▪▪STUDENT LIFE AND ACTIVITIES▪▪

Lower School!!!













TOP LEFT: You know we all have fun when Klarsch does the Macarena. TOP RIGHT: Nora Swenson ponders the meaning of life. ABOVE: Gregory Wilson dances the Macarena. ABOVE MIDDLE: Grace Su concentrates on the Macarena. LEFT: Connor Robertson, Jake Mohr, and Kyra Mungia love the Macarena!





FAR LEFT: "Aww yeah, I'm big and strong now!" says Katherine Furman. LEFT: Grace Hamilton says, "I think I've been staring too long at that thing..." BELOW: A few of the fine actors of the second and third grade play.







FAR LEFT: When Old Mother Hubbard went to the cupboard, she found...Katie Utgaard! LEFT: "Are you sure you want to take my picture?" says third grader Dale Skyllingstad.

Lower School... Hitting the Books?







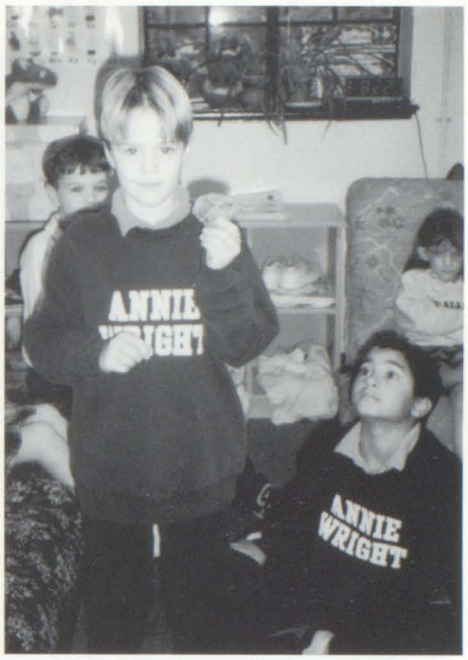






TOP LEFT: Meghan Shaffer looks a bit perplexed as Dominique Remy and she participate in a class activity. TOP RIGHT: Future artist Garrett Michaud practices staying within the lines. ABOVE: "How much weight can pasta hold?" asks Michael Su. ABOVE RIGHT: O.M.ers test the strength of the hammock during a work party. RIGHT: "Actually, the lunches aren't that bad!" say these first graders. FAR RIGHT: The nurses station is all smiles, though John Tinsley still points to where it hurts.











TOP LEFT: "All we are saying is, 'Give peace a chance.'" TOP RIGHT: Second grader Mac Dale shows a fossil to his classmates. ABOVE LEFT: Members of the science club discover that blowing through a straw is science, too! ABOVE CENTER: Is Brian Hull following the experiment of chewing on a straw? ABOVE: "Exploration and learning are fun" the members of the after school science club realize. LEFT: The fall P.E. Allstars!

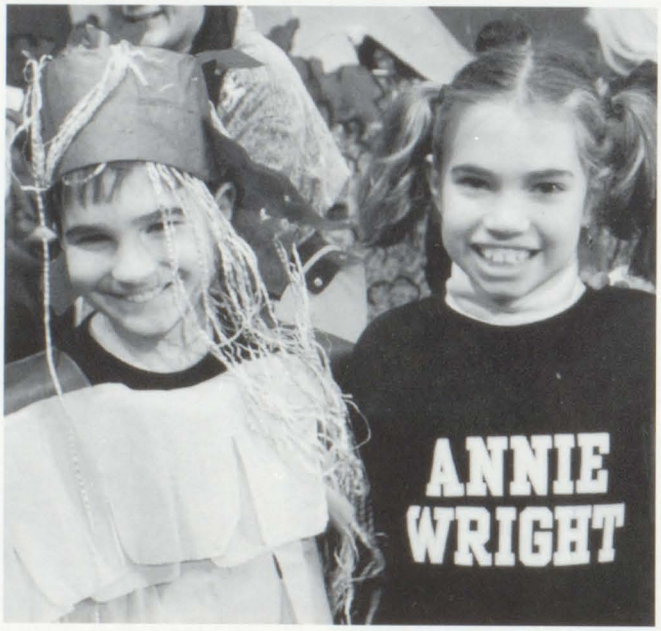




Lower School... Special Events









TOP LEFT: Excited second graders can't wait for lunch as they observe a paleontologist at the Burke Museum in Seattle. TOP RIGHT: The Pre-Kindergarten takes shelter from the wind on the ferry to Vashon Island during their first field trip. ABOVE: Third grader Zach Dowling poses with his sister Alexandra. RIGHT: Fifth grade Odyssey of the Mind participants enjoy their trip to Blake Island.







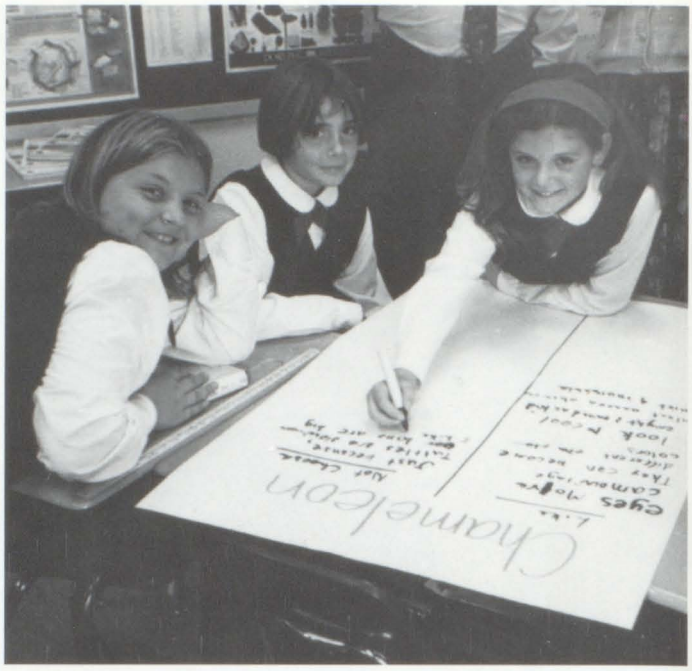
TOP: "Mr. Bubble Man" entertains the lower school with his impressive soap film creations. ABOVE LEFT: Second graders have fun on a field trip to the Nisqually Delta. ABOVE: First graders Lucas Combs and Colin Anderson make a scary pair of vampires.

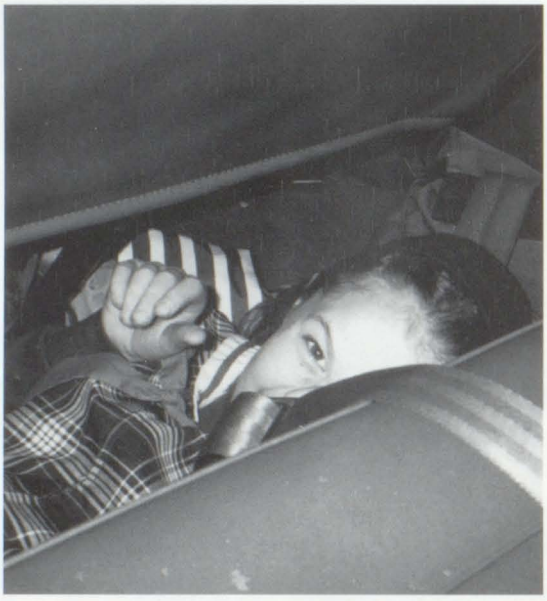


ABOVE: Look...it's a bird...it's a plane...it's...fourth graders on a trip to Mt. St. Helens!!!

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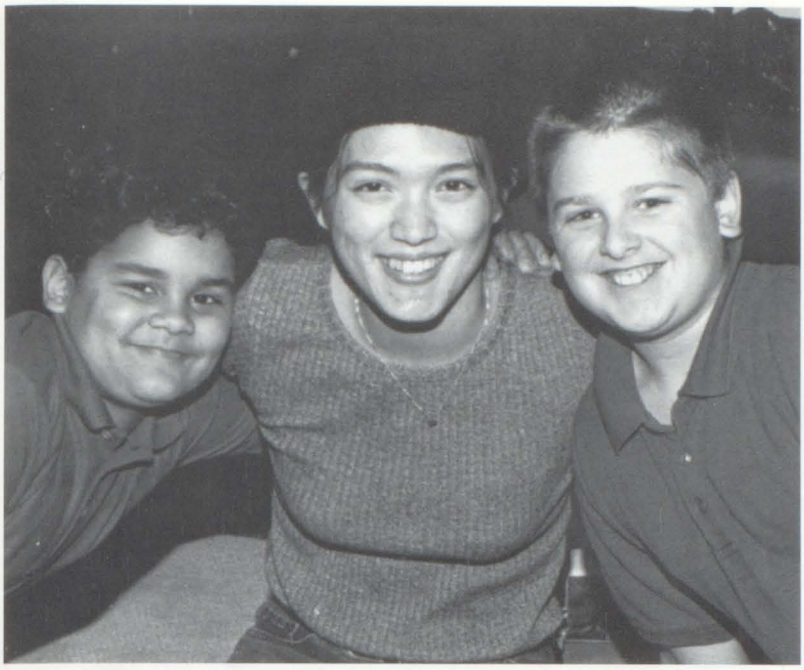















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DESERT
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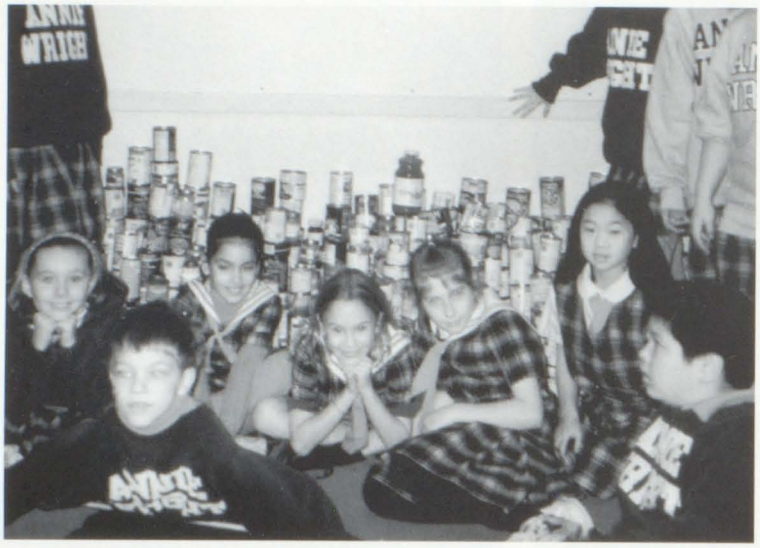








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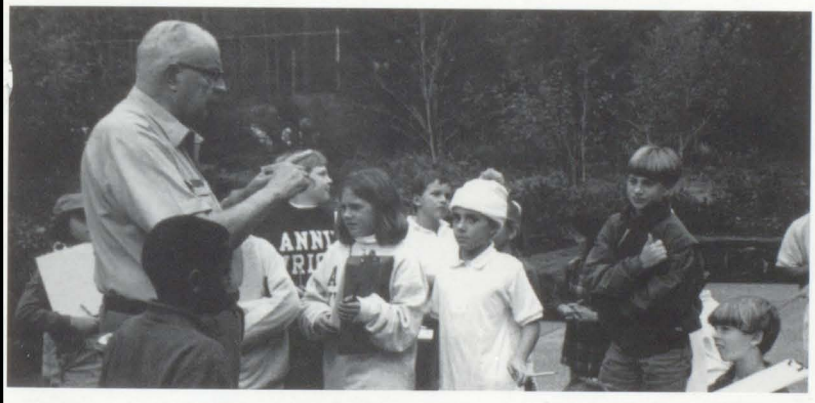



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MAY THE FORCE

Jaspreet Sidhu

Diana Have
I hope you
survive!

Nadia
Adria
Hope you get
through all the
HOMEWORK!

Christy
Cudo

Doreen
Arnold
Have a
time in
AWS

Jennifer Pan
Have fun with
Worldly Wise!

Gabriel Watson
Good luck!

Erin
Sturrock
Have Fun

Rydia
DiLorenzo
GOOD LUCK!!

Kara Miller

Adrienne
Ottum
5th grade
is fun

Erin McNamara
Have fun
next year!!

Sean Kelly

Megan
Monnett
SMILES

Hilary
Edwards

Janine Olson

Brian
Anderson
5th Grade
is very
cool!

Kali Favino
COOL

Be With You

alexandra beamanesn

Dalmatians Rule!?

Eric Brtos

Dana Stirn

Jed Goldberg

Good Luck

Tara Brown

Rebecca Mayberry Have a great next year

Bryan Wendyss Smile

Mike Elbod

Ariel Lyon Have a great summer!!

PONCE DURR

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Mike Elbod!!

Victor Fusté

DAVID Winter

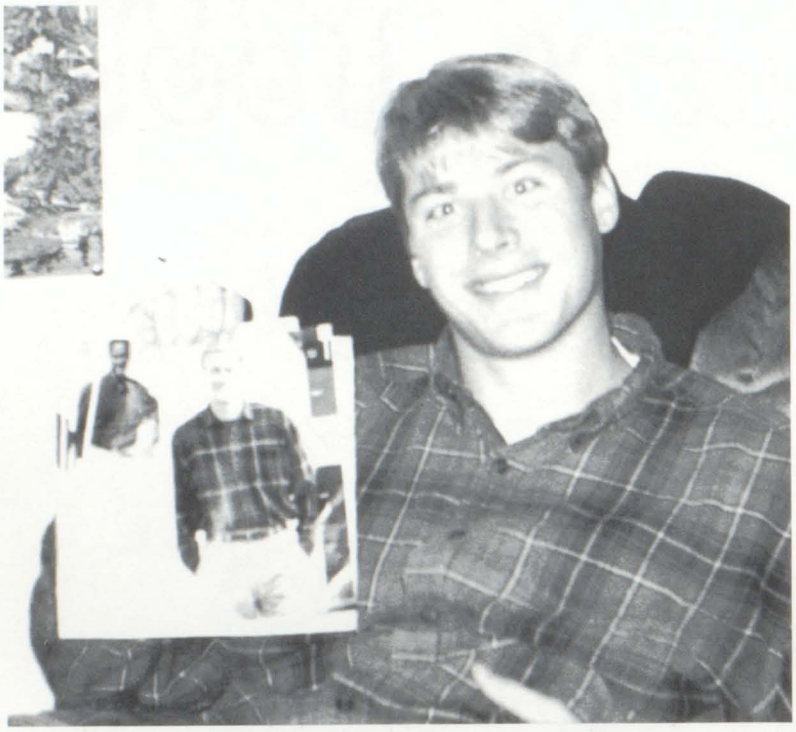
Makika Raymond May the Homework be with you

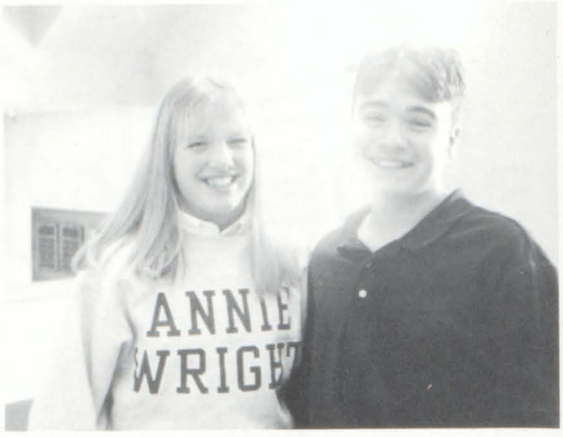
Joshua Miller

Nice pool Bite

Peter Battaner GO Gators Good Luck!

Middle School





Isn't love wonderful?



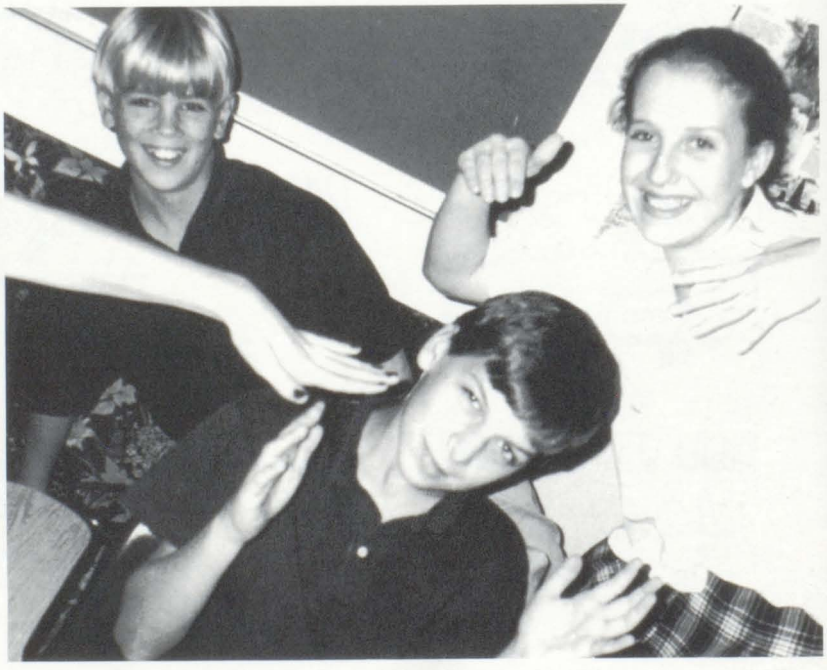
ABOVE: Mr. Struckmeyer and the J. Crew model: separated at birth.



LEFT: "Uhhh...I don't think I care for the back seat of the Annie Wright van," says Emily Palouse. ABOVE: Athena Macy and Jessica Holman pose with their buddy Mr. Rat. BELOW: Gabe Wood and Katherine Murto are just hangin' with the Alex-man!



Lauren, Ann, Ms. Hopkins, Katherine, and Ben admire their splendid handiwork for needy birds.





Middle Schoolers and their "Circle of friends".



Well, these folks are certainly pleased with their tree.



Annie, Katie, and Heather take a break from decorating their tree.



Decorating trees was kinda fun!



Oh my gosh! It's a birdseed doughnut!



Maybe if we attach it to our ears...?



I can't quite see you clearly...but don't hit me in the face!



Allison and Kate make an unlikely duo on Hat Day.



These middle school girls really show their school spirit on Halloween.

Middle School



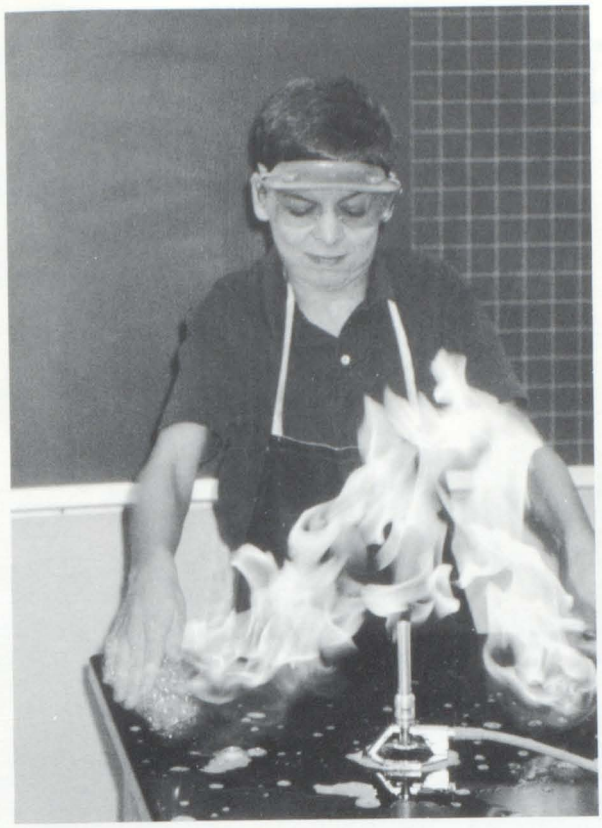








TOP LEFT: Lookin' cool, as always. TOP RIGHT: Jeanne Rosenburg waits eagerly for her hands to burst into flame. ABOVE: Newly accepted cheerleaders of the AWS high school. ABOVE RIGHT: Amanda Tyson plays with fire. RIGHT: Amy Anton runs for her life: those yellow ties can be vicious.



LEFT: Future arsonist Alex Mungia BELOW: Triplets? Or middle schoolers? BELOW MIDDLE: Scientist Emily Paulose and Doc Smith at work. BELOW BOTTOM: What are you sixth graders up to? BELOW LEFT: All dressed up and NOWHERE to go!









Middle School





ABOVE: Another mathematician emerges from this fine academic environment.
RIGHT: Friends Casey Levy and Katherine Murto are just pal'n around.





BELOW: Seventh grader Brendan Clark is enthralled by his science project.
LEFT: "Uhhh, we didn't do it. You can't prove anything," say 8th graders Josh Scholtens and David Dehrkoop.



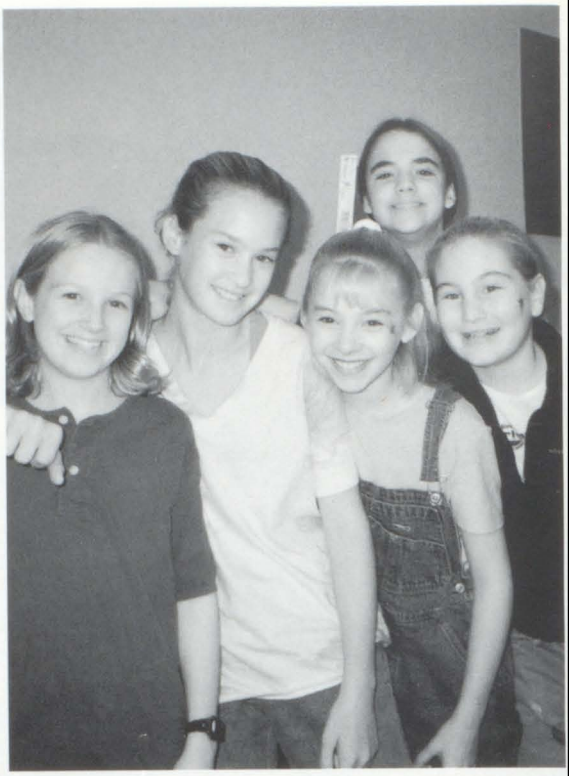


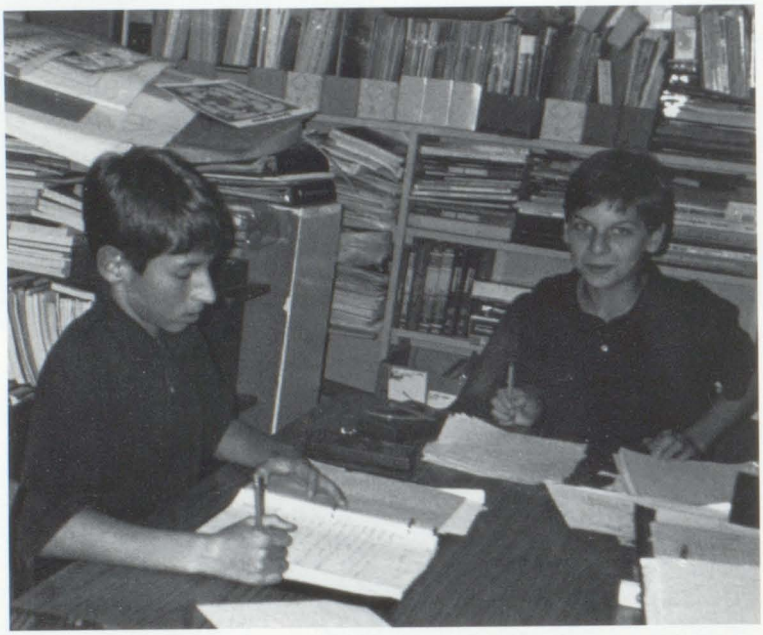


ABOVE: "Whose arm is it?" Sixth grader Taryn Anderson gets her cast signed.
LEFT: Sixth grader Elizabeth Montgomery has an ace up her sleeve.

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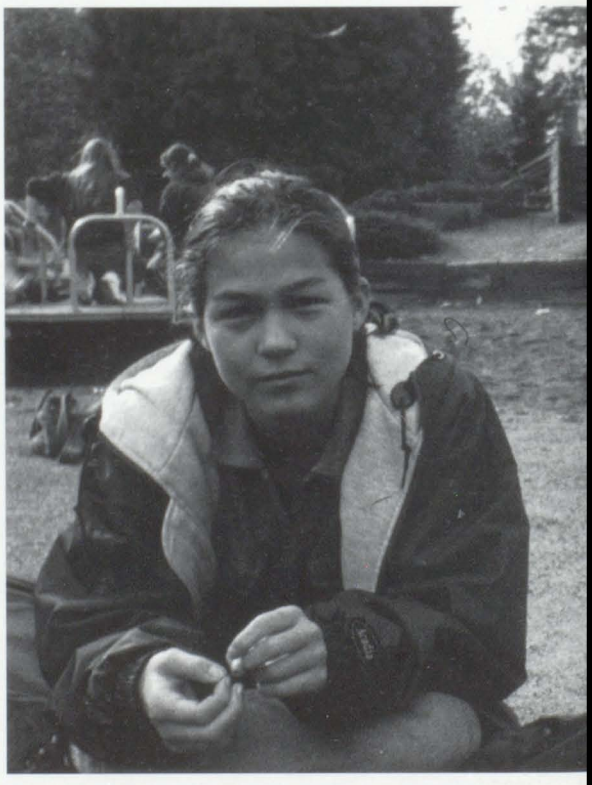
Upper School Orientation

▪September 11-13, 1996▪



ABOVE: Upper Schoolers boogie down to "Celebrate Good Tmes!" RIGHT: Slick Rick demonstrates what dancing was like in the days of his youth. FAR RIGHT: Freshmen Selena Soo and Reina Sakagawa are obviously having a blast at Orientation.







LEFT: Audrey, Lauren, and Jennifer are walking advertisements for Raynor Guild and Masque Players.
BELOW: ASB President Erin Fletcher is sleeping on the job.
FAR BELOW: Sophomore Cassie Reeves pretends she's Superwoman as she flies through the Houston Room.







Ghosts, witches, and pumpkin bowling

▪The 1996 Halloween Carnival▪

Ghosts and goblins flocked to the Kemper Center on October 26 for the 4th Annual Halloween Carnival put on by the junior class as a fundraiser for their spring prom. Activities included pumpkin bowling, Bingo, a cake walk complete with many donated treats from parents, a piñata, and a fortune teller. Another popular diversion was the truly creepy haunted house through the locker rooms, which included a mad surgeon, the Grim Reaper, and a head on a table.



BELOW LEFT: Junior Lauren Moses terrifies small children. BELOW: Junior Katrina Marcinowski's face gets painted by sophomore makeup artist Emily Allen.

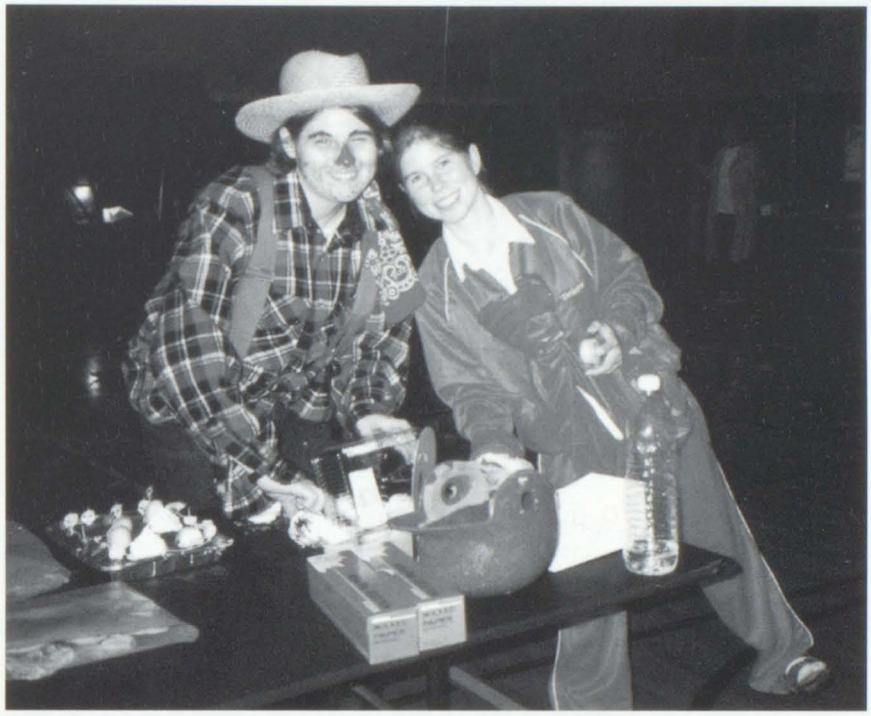






LEFT: Pooh and Fido practice trick-or-treating at the Halloween Carnival.
RIGHT: Katelyn Mancuso, Lindsey Shelley, and Katherine Furman show off their fine Halloween apparrel.







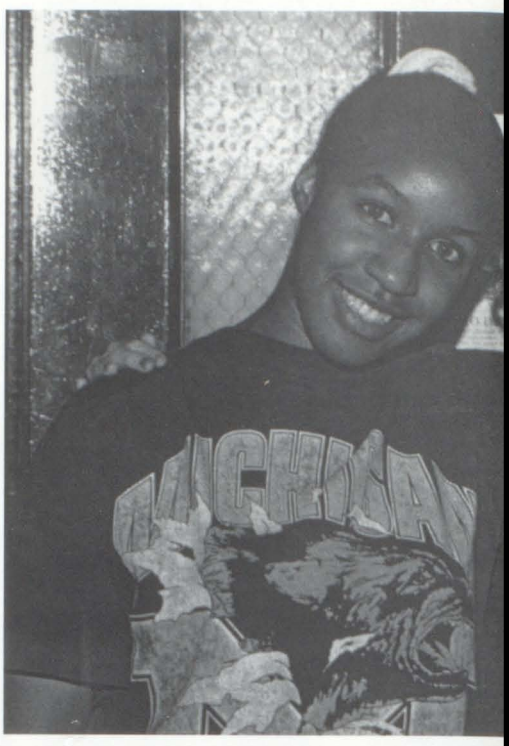
ABOVE: Juniors Sarah Scamehorn and Caroline Clabaugh take a break.
LEFT: The toywalk was a raging success.
BELOW: Tori Pascoe receives finishing touches on her Halloween makeup.



Upper School



Ms. Soucey's students happily wait for her to begin her daily storytime.



Keisha Luke welcomes Martha Laughman into the green tie class with a hug.





ABOVE: Junior Lucky Rowen-Granoski and her father share a moment of glory after beating out the competition in the Road Rally. RIGHT: Group hug!: the cast of the fall play, Chamber Music, after another fine performance. FAR RIGHT: Junior Gillian Wood sparkles as she gives a hug to her friend.







LEFT: Impatient freshmen dream of the days when they, too, can use the candy machine and visit Ms. Bauska's office. BELOW: Forty-nine suggestions for alternatives to the Annie Wright uniform.







FAR LEFT: Senior May Liao is ready to face anything after her years at Annie Wright. LEFT: Blinded by the shine on Mr. Swenson's hair and the princesses at her table, sophomore Kelly Blume dons a pair of shades.

Upstairs...
AWS Dorm





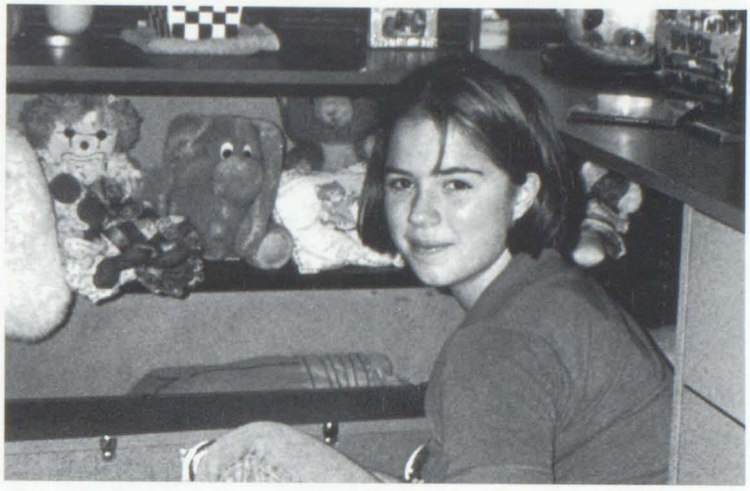
ABOVE: The whole dorm population squeezes onto the senior stairs.
RIGHT: Formal dinner provides an excellent opportunity for sophomore Kelly Blume and junior Sara Colyer to show off their fine manners.
FAR RIGHT: Shin Hye Cho takes yet another phone call in the dorm.







LEFT: Doing business at May's Market is always a pleasure, as demonstrated here by senior May Liao and freshman Reina Sakagawa.
BELOW: Sophomore Merissa Gremminger shows off her lovely collection of stuffed animals.







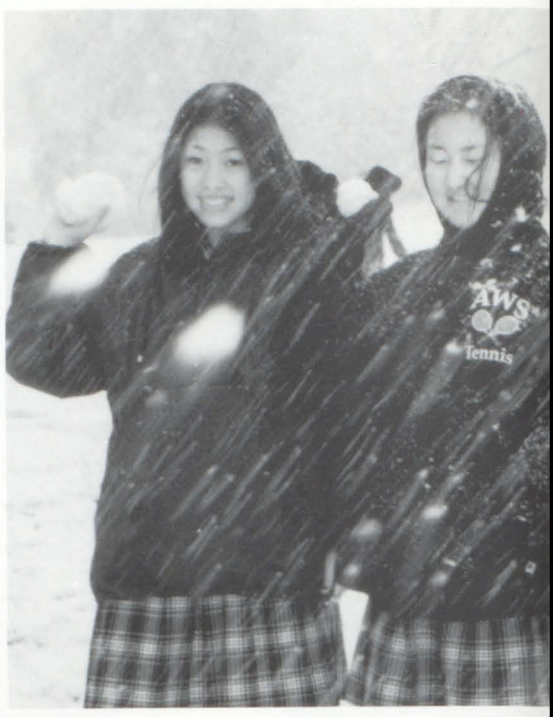


ABOVE LEFT: Middle School teacher Erika Dresser and RA Rudy Penczer say, "Cheese!" during formal dinner.
ABOVE: Trick or Treat!
LEFT: Resident students strut their stuff before formal dinner.

Dorm

Yes, there is life above the first floor...











TOP: "Well, Reina, I don't know about the peace sign..." says Selena Soo. ABOVE: Lauren Moses, Julie Beard, and Marie Pasquale love Christmas lights...(and a break from study hall!) ABOVE RIGHT: It's such a nice and shady tree... RIGHT: Fai Wongvises, Ji Sun Oh, Olivia Chang, and Min Jin Hwang enjoy a pleasant evening with the pumpkin.





FAR LEFT: "Are we to throw these snow-balls?" LEFT: Santa kindly displays his informative sign. BELOW: Hiori Eijima emerges from the shower wondering why this camera has caught her at such an inopportune moment.





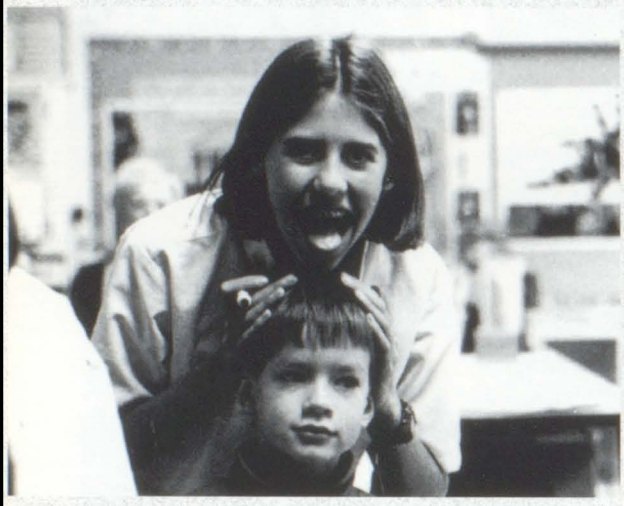


FAR LEFT:" Go away. I'm heavily ensconced with Ms. Ginn's geography report," says Jamie Patchin. FAR BOTTOM LEFT: What is this? Is Fran Vizzini getting a massage? LEFT: Dina Sosunova waits among the pumpkins for her fairy godmother.





First grader Randyn Morris practices a toothpaste grin in Mr. Menke's science lab.



Eighth grader Christine Mintz and first grader Colin Anderson spend some true quality time together.



Sophomore Sarah Crow primly sips her tea at Formal Dinner.



Second grade teacher George Solomon smiles bravely though he must be experiencing excrutiating pain.

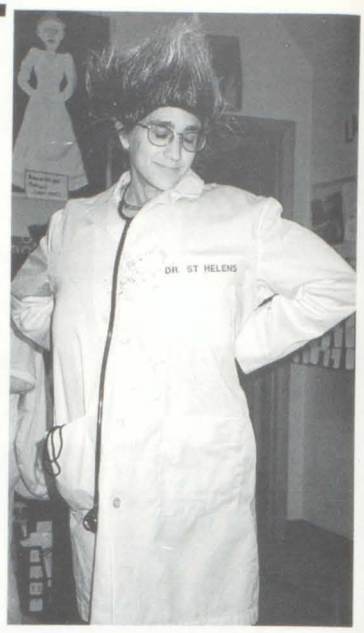
One Moment in TIME



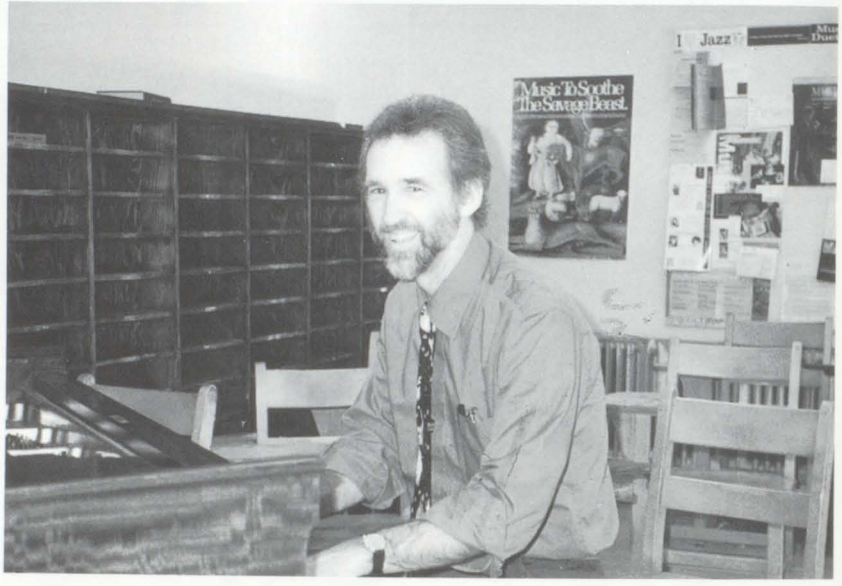
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Faculty and Staff











TOP LEFT: Director of Communications Marianne Picha and Middle School teacher Joy Ottum reveal their true selves. TOP RIGHT: Dr. St. Helens, a.k.a. Julia Lehman, looks a bit ashen. ABOVE: James Timson, Upper School science teacher, performs the famous "Molecule Dance." ABOVE RIGHT: Music teacher Doug Allen plays us a tune. LEFT: Middle School teacher Robert Owens kisses the holy rings of Director of Lower and Middle Schools Jack Fallat.

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Upper School

FACULTY

BACK ROW: Richard Swenson, *Math*; Yukiko Howell, *Japanese*; Jo Hutchins, *French*; Doug Allen, *Music*; Heather Ginn-Hall, *English/ Geography;* Jill Jueling, *Art*; James Meyer, *Spanish*; Michael Self, *Drama/English.* ON TABLE: DeLacy Ganley, *ESL*; Diane Soucey, *History.* ON COUCH: Ann Kuhlman, *Counselor;* Marian Schwartz, *Science*; Lily Driskill, *Director of Upper School;* Susan Bauska, *College Counselor/ English.* ON FLOOR: Marilyn Tuohy, *Library*; Jan Lind, *Nurse.* NOT PICTURED: Rhondi Adair, *PE/ Lifeskills;* Susan Bennett, *Math*; Lynnae Boudreau, *Math*; Patty Nielson, *PE/Lifeskills*; Jennifer Rossuck, *English*; James Timson, *Science.*

Middle School

FACULTY

BACK ROW: Joe Park, *Computers*; Matthew Struckmeyer, *English;* Jack Fallat, *Director of Middle and Lower Schools*; Robert Owens, *English/Social Studies.* FRONT ROW: Anne Ashby, *Art*; Ann Kuhlman, *Counselor*; Erika Dresser, *Math/Science*; Beryl Horton, *Math*; Sandra Smith, *Science.* NOT PICTURED: Rhondi Adair, *PE;* Ann Hopkins, *Japanese;* Patty Nielson, *PE;* Joy Ottum, *Social Studies;* Emil Verbovski, *PE.*





Lower School

FACULTY

BACK ROW: Julia Lehman, *Fourth;* Pam McCormick, *Computers;* Jack Fallat, *Director of Middle and Lower Schools*; Jessie Thompson, *Third;* Barbara Klarsch, *Fifth*; Sherrie Peterson, *Pre-K*; Sandra Pell, *Kindergarten;* Jean Young, *Reading Specialist*; Scott Hamilton, *Music*; Robin Menke, *Science.* ON TABLE: Linda King, *First.* ON COUCH: Ann Kuhlman, *Counselor*; George Solomon, *Second*; Ellen Oppenheim, *Kindergarten;* Jeanne Schneider, *Second*; Allison Parks, *Fourth.* FRONT: Annie Ashby, *Art;* Jennifer Bills, *Third;* Evelyn Tomter, *First.* NOT PICTURED: Ann Hopkins, *Japanese;* Rhondi Adair, *PE;* Patty Nielson, *PE.*

Administration



BACK ROW: Robert Klarsch, *Headmaster;* Karen Credgington, *Director of House;* Kristi Solt-Selleck, *Director of Residence;* Peter Mertz, *Assistant Headmaster;* Mick Larkin, *Director of Development;* Ray Griffin, *Director of Admission;* Paul Manning, *Director of Maintenance and Security;* Steve Saalfeld, *Director of Annual Fund.* FRONT ROW: Jack Fallat, *Director of Lower and Middle Schools;* Marianne Picha, *Director of Communications;* Susan Bauska, *Director of College Placement.*



Secretaries

BACK ROW: Andra Kondra, *Front Office Manager;* Pam Cook, *LS/MS Assistant;* Mary Pat Minor, *Admission Assistant;* Sue Maggs. FRONT ROW: Lisa Mertz, *Development Assistant;* Richard Stuart, *Upper School Assistant;* Maj-Britt Ortengren, *Bookkeeper;* Nancy Brown, *Finance Assistant.* NOT PICTURED: Sandi Hull, *Headmaster's Assistant;* Jeni Selig, *Library Assistant;* Gail Skinner, *Finance Assistant.*

Maintenance



TOP ROW:Paul Manning, Merlin Bernard-Toledano. MIDDLE ROW: Mark Ashby, Stu Selleck. BOTTOM ROW: Gary Black, Jade Hennessey



Kitchen

LEFT TO RIGHT: Jade Hennessey, Hue Hua, Dave Arnold, Annamarie Washington, Phuong Trink. NOT PICTURED: Rita Kalenius, Kay Berash, Leona Parriet, Mary Thierry and Marie Beaudoin.

House-keeping



LEFT TO RIGHT: Myong Yi, Vernista Swann, Pam Franklin. NOT PICTURED: Raymonde Carette, Gary Black.









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Erin Gazecki
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Chelsea Price
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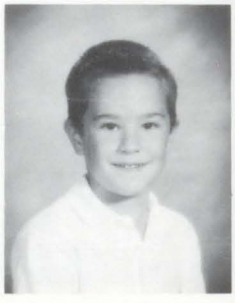

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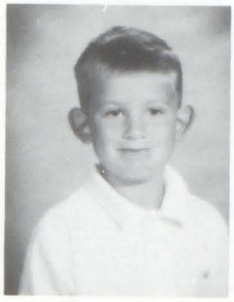



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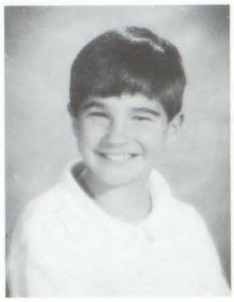






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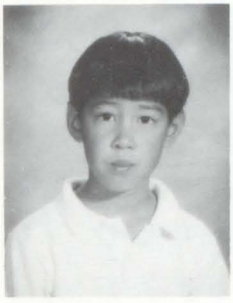


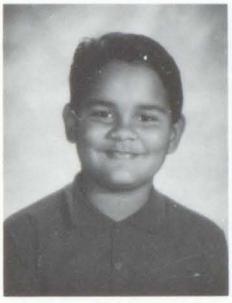






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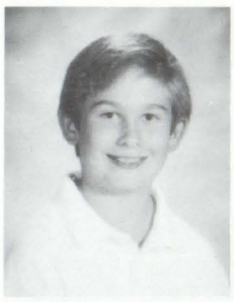



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Anne Meighan







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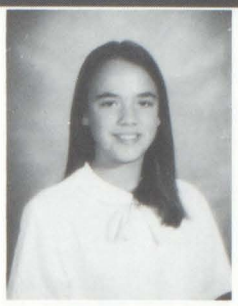











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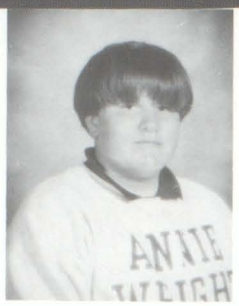






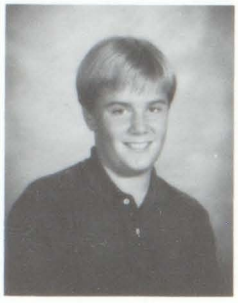
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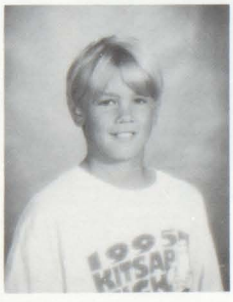
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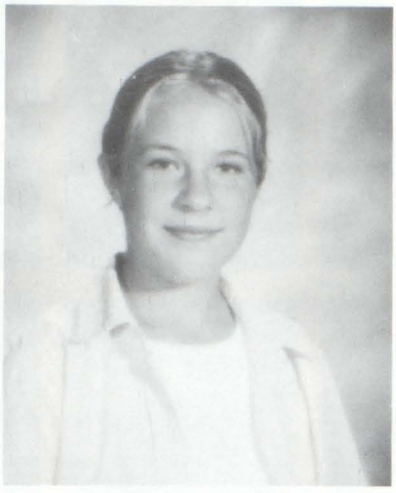



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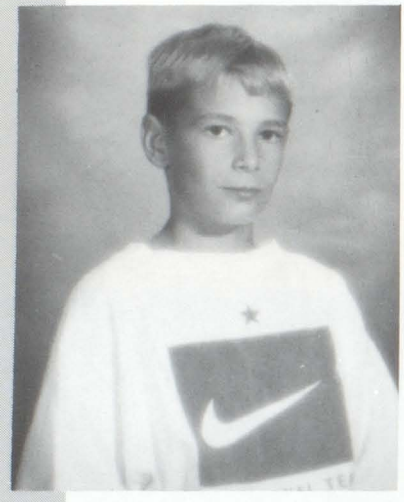
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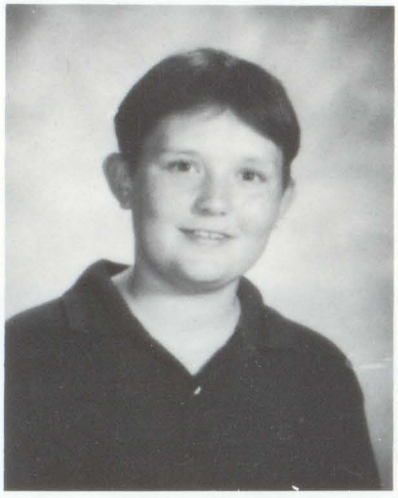
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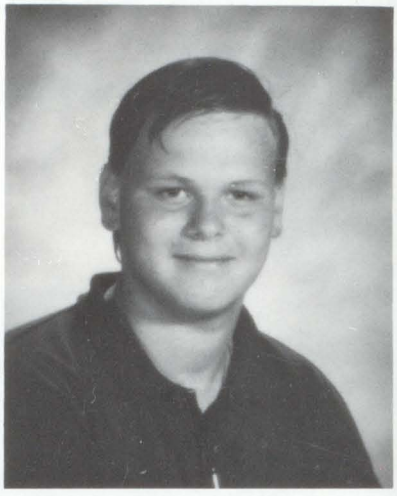
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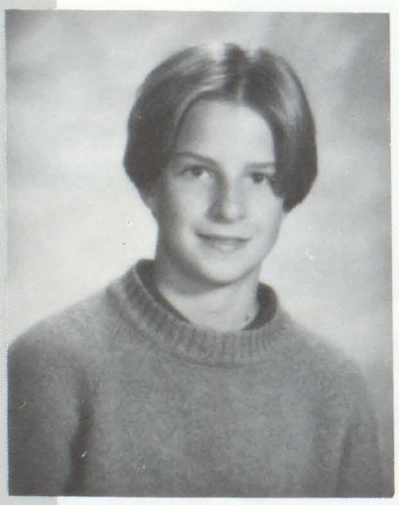
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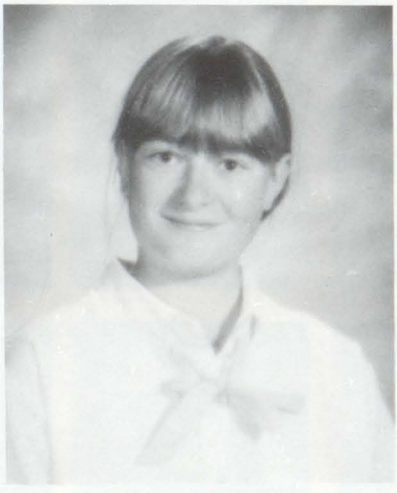
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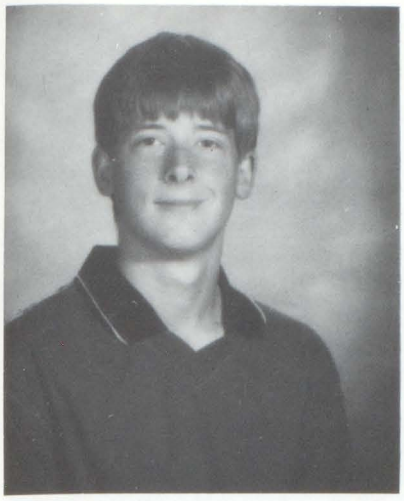


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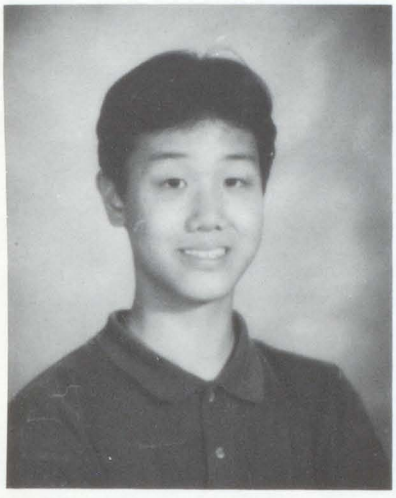
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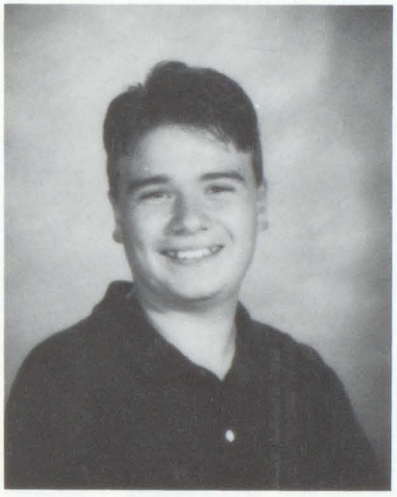
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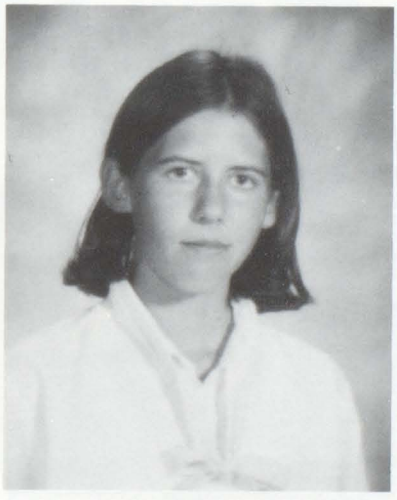
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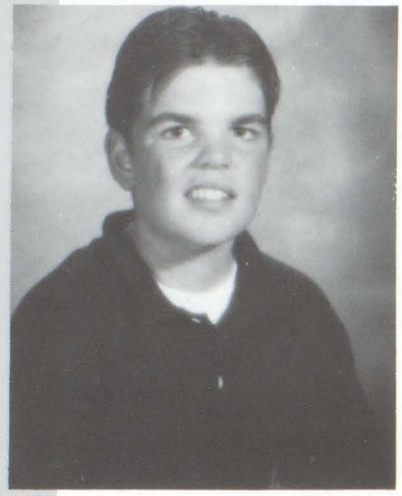


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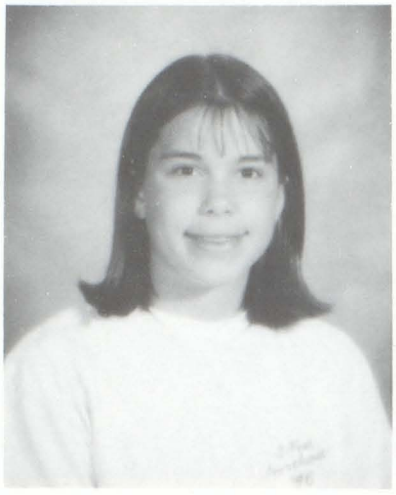


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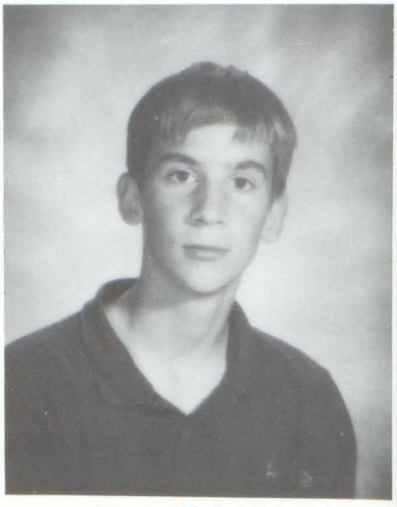
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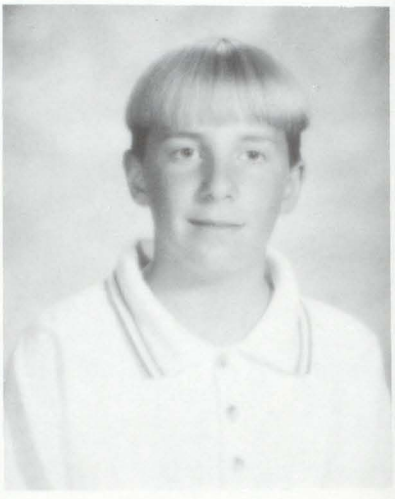
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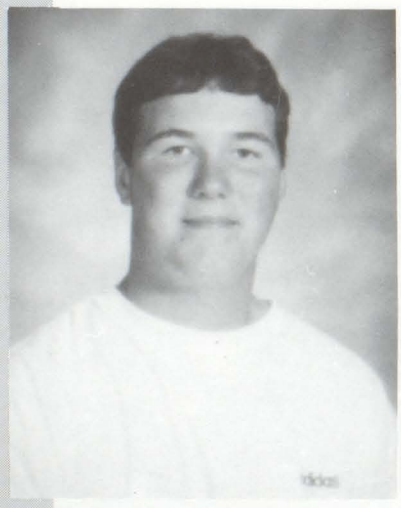
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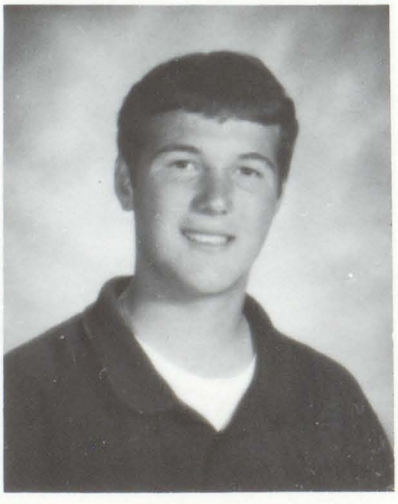
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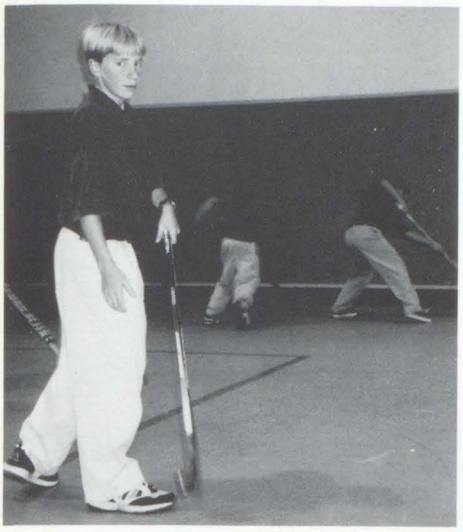


Vince Vidrine

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Khushbu Walia

Our time has come...



Joe Tucci: wild man on the run.





Smile, Megan!



The male population of AWS.



Anne Morkill lectures the walls on the meaning of life



Cheers to Halloween!

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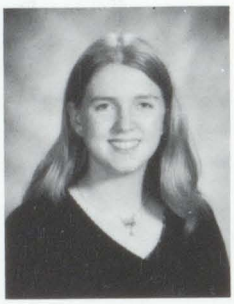




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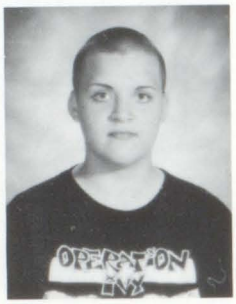
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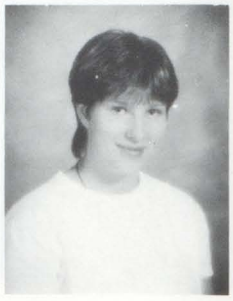




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Birte Kalveram
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Katie Magnuson
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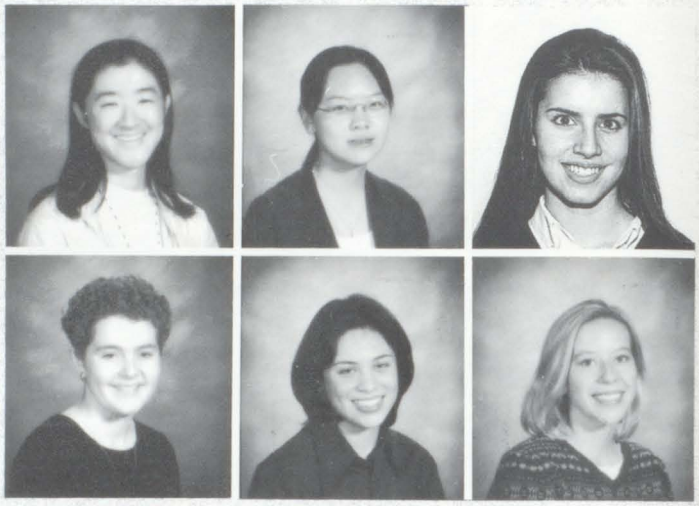

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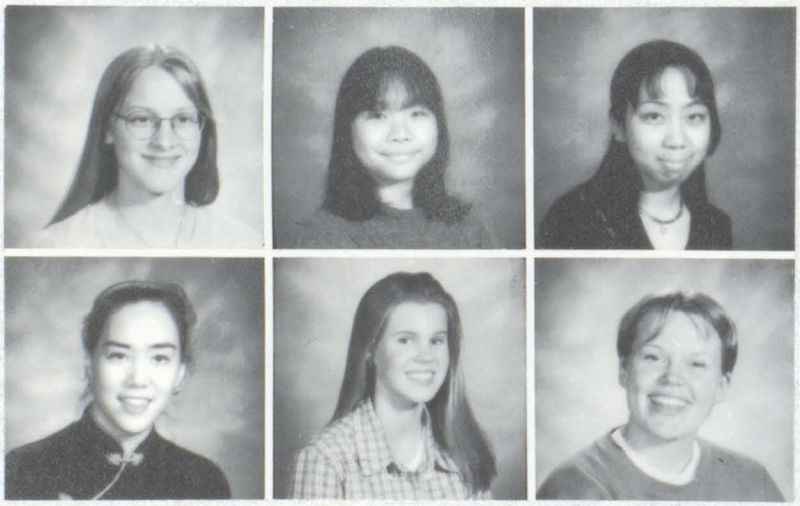
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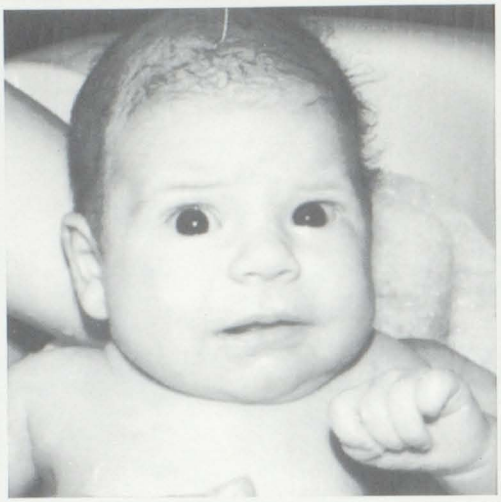
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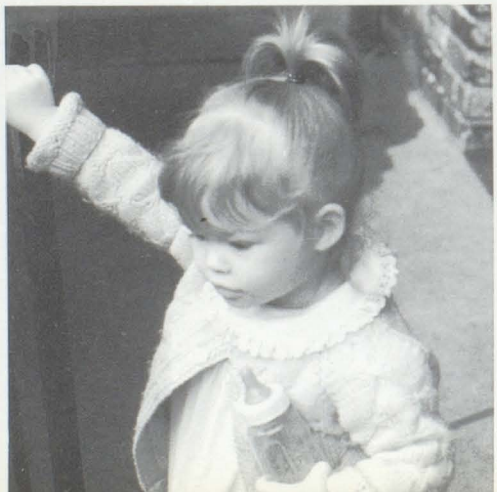




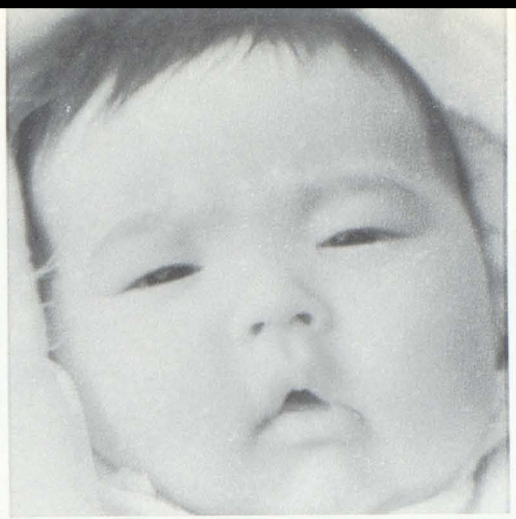




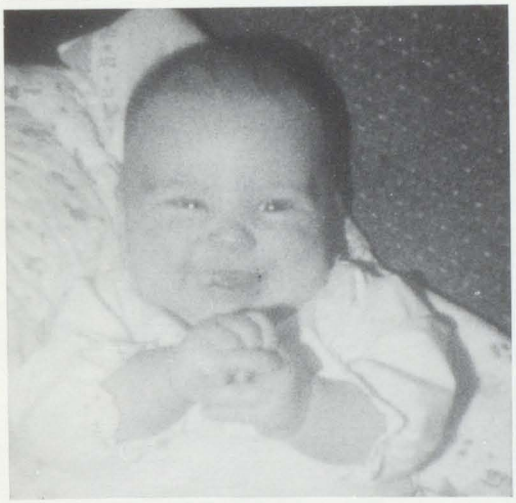








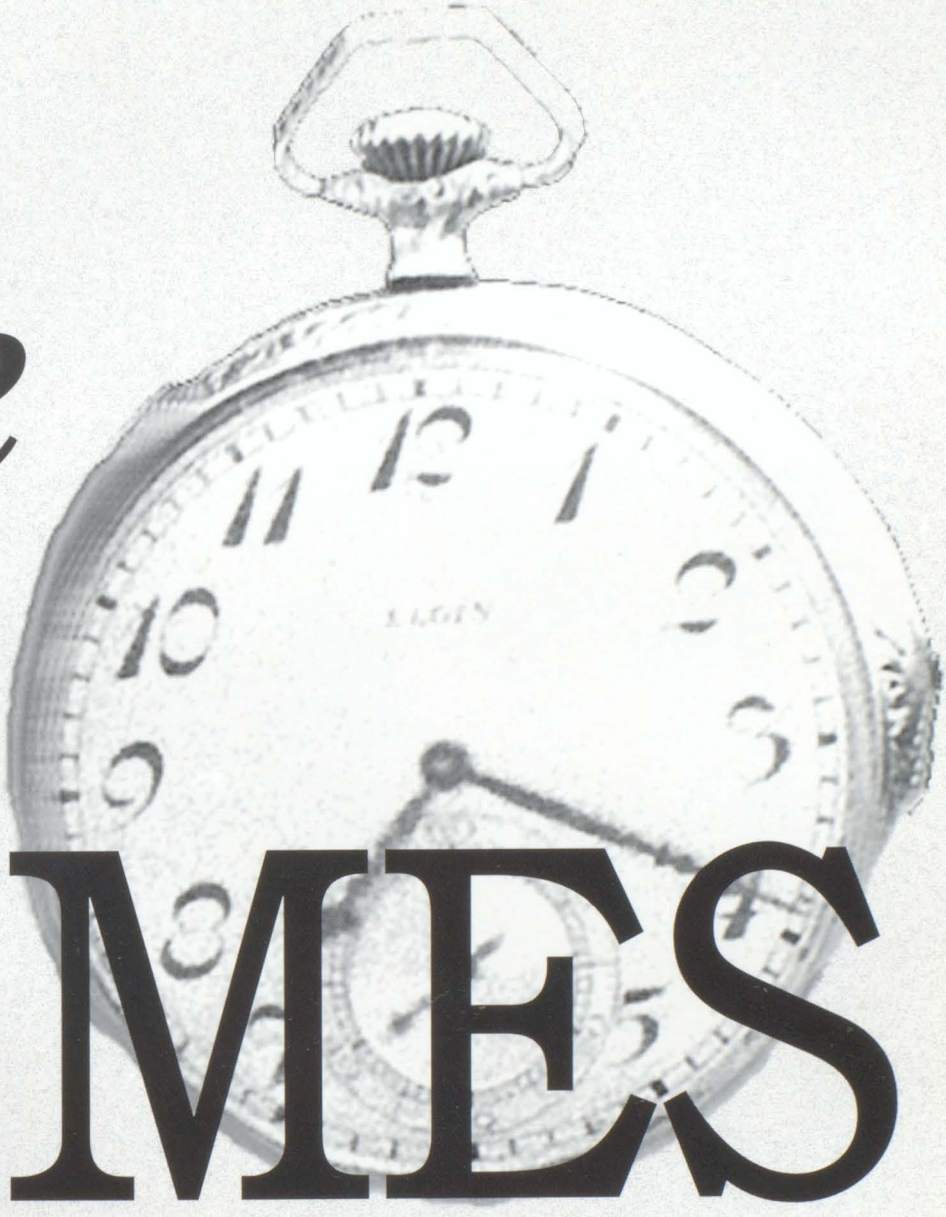







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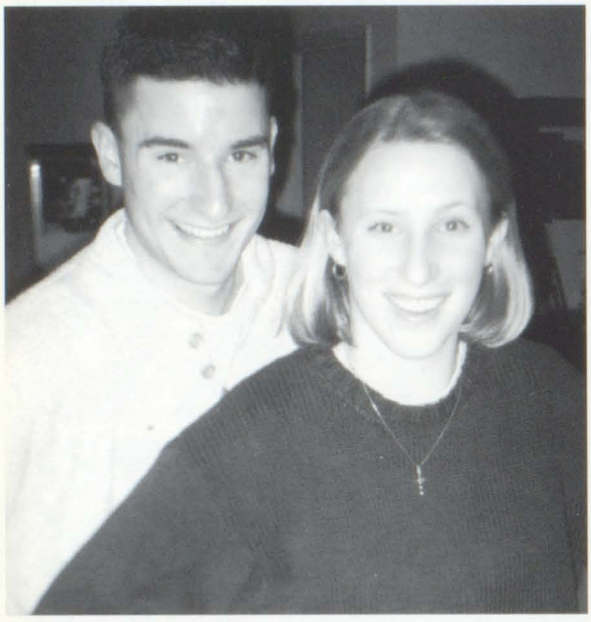
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Class of 1997



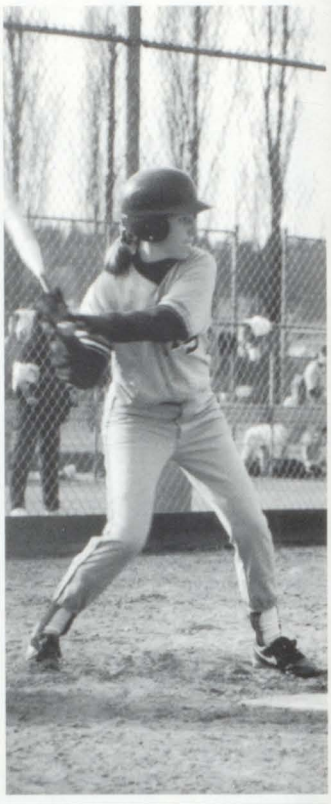
Happiness resides not in possessions and not in gold; the feeling of happiness dwells in the soul.

-Democritus



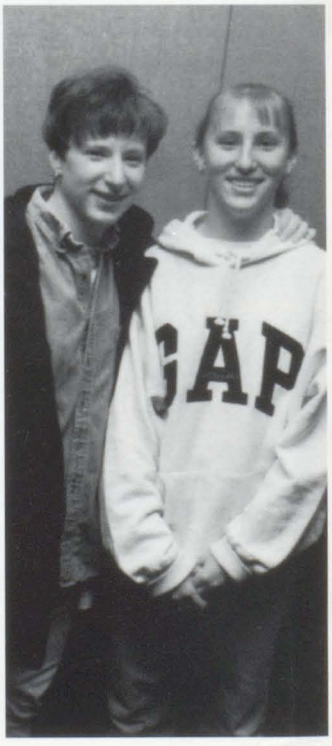












Chelsie Aneek Anttila





Find me a sky, give me my wings- frozen and broken, but free.

-Melissa Etheridge







Your friend is your needs answered.

-Kahlil Gibran



i'm harboring a fugitive, a defector of a kind, and she lives in my soul, drinks of my wine, and i'd give my last breath to keep us alive

-amy ray





Harmony.
Balance.
Rhythm.
There you have it.
That is what life is all about.

-G. Pocock





om nama shivaya

Heather Marie Bamford

Class of 1997







To the Grisfords, the AWS faculty, and the gang- thanks for all the tears, wisecracks, and times.









Katherine Burns

Each one of us, if we are really lucky, meets one person that changes our world. That person is called a friend.

-Unknown





To my parents, Spud, Jubilee and the rest of my family - I will miss you next year and I love you all.



To all my friends who are no longer with me... I miss you and I wish I had told you what you meant to me.

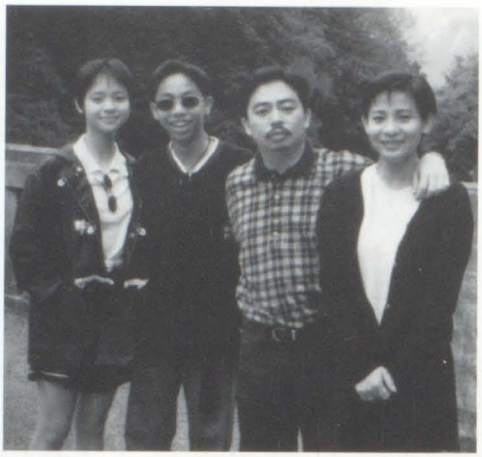


To those who are still here, you mean the world to me and you will forever have a special place in my heart.

Joanne Yan Lok Chan

Class of 1997



















Hiori Sara Eijima

























Lorraine Lola Anna Emerson

Class of 1997





In air and dream may you proceed with abandon. In life may you proceed with balance and stealth.

Patti Smith











Erin Nichole Fletcher

"It is easy in the world to live after the world's opinion. It is easy to live after one's own. But the great man is the one who in the midst keeps with perfect sweetness the independence of solitude." -Ralph Waldo Emerson



Ty, Shilp, and Elena: I love ya (even if you are green ties)!



Sharon and Emalee: I would be nowhere without you. I love you forever!

"One isn't necessarily born with courage, but one is born with potential. Without courage, we cannot practice any other virtue with consistency. We can't be kind, true, merciful, generous, or honest,"

-Maya Angeou



So that's what happened.



Am I this weird?



"For I am my mother's daughter, and the drums of Africa still beat in my heart. They will not let me rest while there is a single Negro boy or girl without a chance to prove his worth."

-Mary McLeod Bethune

You guys are the best! GO BANANAS!



Jazz: AME, YPD, J&J, and AKA forever!

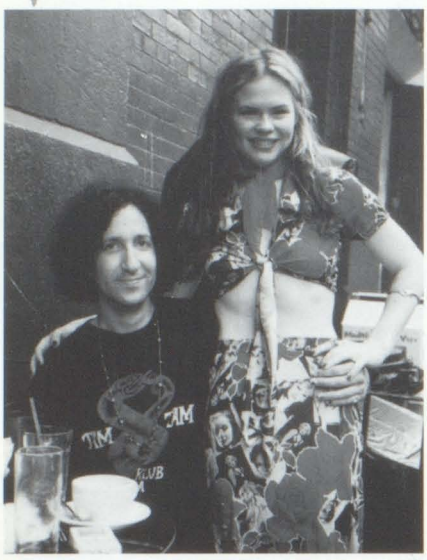
Mom, Dad, and Patrick: I'll miss you next year, but home is where the heart is, and my heart is with you.



To my friends, family, and church family who have helped me get this far: I love you and am very grateful for your care and guidance.

Dominique Godderis

Class of 1997



Late on the third day, at the very moment when, at sunset, we were making our way through a herd of hippopotamuses, there flashed upon my mind, unforeseen and unsought, the phrase, "Reverence for life."

-A. Schwetzer





Wordless she suffers, wounded that he'd go. A shudder of love for him, and no way to show it. She worries and worries, and finds her heart unchanged: over and over when she sleeps the butterfly is imprisoned in her dreams.

-Oh-Yang Hsiu



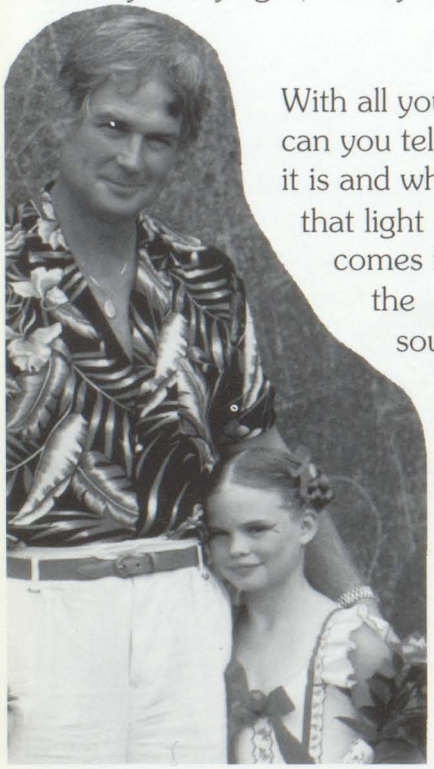
Thank you my light, for my life. ♥



Love to my kid sis homie!

Moonsister, you help me shine, and I'll love you forever.





With all your science, can you tell me how it is and whence it is that light comes into the soul?

-Thoreau

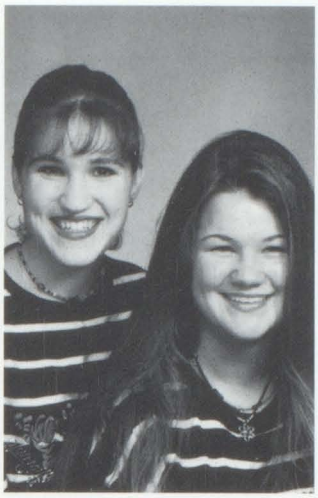




Amber Nicole Griffith



Stacey- Thank goodness for bad hair days! Where would we be without them?



Jessica-From trains, planes, and automobiles, we are travel buddies for life!



"It takes a village to raise a child." I thank you all for being my village.



Thank you for all that you have given me. I love you forever.





Alyssa- It has been a rough year without you by my side. Our friendship knows no limits and you are truly in my heart!



Taya- Walk tall, mom! Both your darling children have made it!



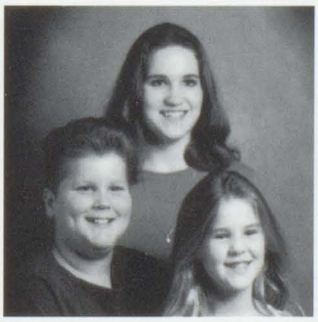
Mom- "I believed in you, even through the tears and laughter. I believe in you even though we're far apart." -S.O'C.



Liz- you have been my rock of stability in more ways than one! I hold our friendship close to my heart!



Hiorus- Roomates for a year, friends for life!



Allen and Ashley- we always have and will forever be the "A" team! I love you completely!



My Yellow Ties- How fast four years fly by! We have come a long way BANANAS! Good luck wherever your future takes you! I love you always!



BVS & BMY
4 EVR!
I love you Bemmy-girl!

Rebecca Blair Kirkpatrick

Class of 1997














Jennafa Sachi Kuss


















For all we know, our entire life could be a dream
-Gaarder

"Once I dreamed I was a butterfly, and now I no longer know whether I am Chuang Tzu, who dreamed I was a butterfly, or whether I am a butterfly dreaming that I am Chuang-Tzu."

May (Mei-Yin) Liao

Class of 1997



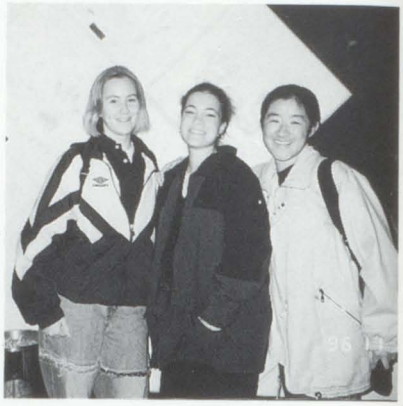




Thanks Dad, Mom, Shawn, Grandmom and Cousins! I won't make it through without all of you. I love you all lots and forever!!



"Life isn't a destination- it's a journey. We all come upon unexpected curves and turning points, mountaintops and valleys. Everything that happens to us shapes who we are becoming. And in the adventure of each day, we discover the best in ourselves." -Crew Collections



"I want you to know I need you
I want you to know it's true
That there's no way
I could have made it without you
It's so good to know that
I've got a friend like you
Through all of the laughter and tears
Through all of the questions and fears
Through all of the winning and losing and trying
I will be by your side
Cause you and I are friends for life"
-Geoff Moore & the Distance



Marie (Sis): Life is full of challenges and remember! No matter what you do, just DON'T GIVE UP! Always be thankful for what you have. I will always love you and be there for you no matter what happens. I wish you all the luck in the future and love ya lots, Sis!!!



Mr. & Mrs. Gesch: my second father and mother. You have a corner of my heart and I thank you for all you have done for me. I love you both! Heidi: "Roomate" for a year; friends for life. I Love You !!

Dear Sherman, Andy, Jeremy, Edwards, Meager, Clabaugh, Crane, Moses, Beard, Shiner, Welch, Bianchi, Vizzini, Gremminger, Webb, McCloskey, Potter and all of my fellow classmates who I didn't get to know better and all of the faculties: Even a thousand thanks cannot express how much I love you and how much I am going to miss you: "Thank You!" I wish you all the best in life.



Julie: this is what I learned from you during these five years of friendship: how to lift my head up, and how to make the best out of whatever I am doing. Thanks for all your support and true friendship. Love you lots!!!

Angela Chao-Ching Liu



To my dearest friends:

Thank you for the support and happiness you gave me, and I'll always remember you, no matter where I am.

To 媽媽

謝謝您一直以來的關懷. 為了自己的理想 也許我將會走得很遠很遠. 但請您相信. 我仍然是當初的我.

To 自己:

終於18歲了.
可是以後所有事情.
都要自己負責. 不能再耍賴了!





Jennifer Maliska

Class of 1997

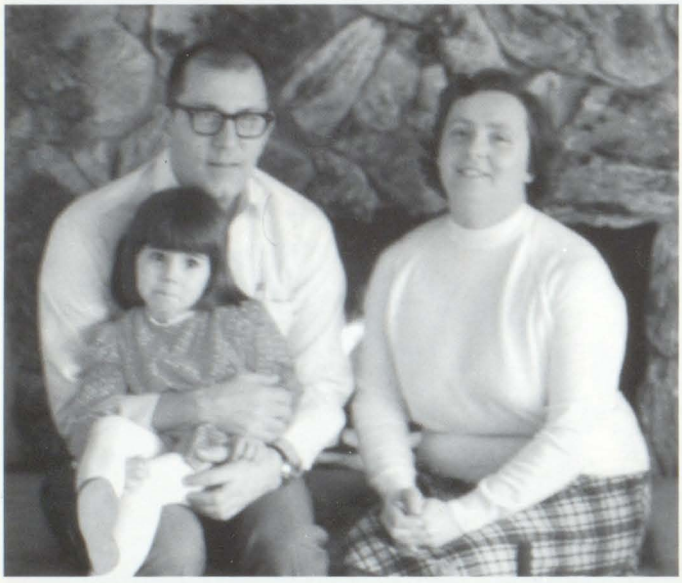


"It's the end of the world as we know it (and I feel fine!)"
-R.E.M.

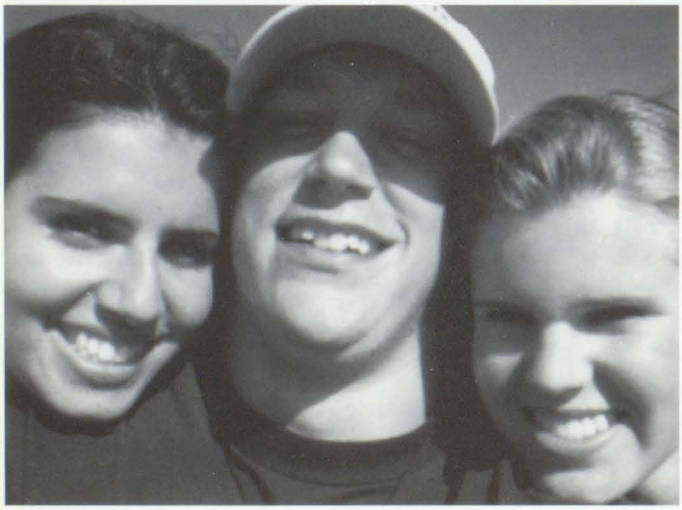






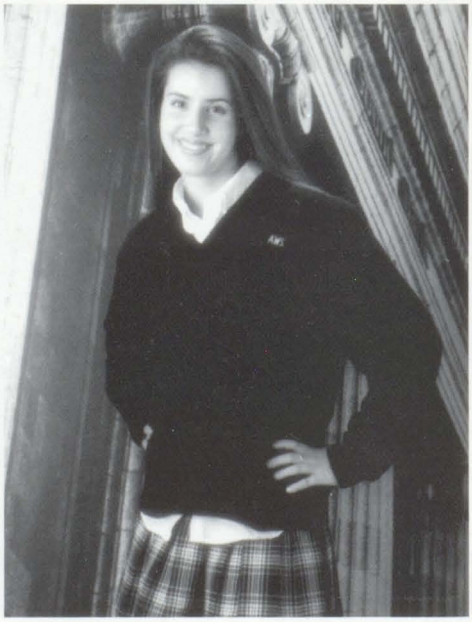


Mom and Dad- If I am the Princess you are the King and Queen. I love you a lot and forever. Mary, Johnno, Tommy, and Shirl- Thank you for whipping, slapping, tickling, spoiling, and loving me. Remember, the only reason I'm perfect is 'cause I learned the best from you! Audrey(Dr. A-Dogg)- Thanx for the days at North, the nights at the Annex, the summer in Cali, and the lunches at Cinnabon. You are my best homie and I'll never forget you. Lots of love. Joey- You're a great pal and the best Nintendo player in the world! Thanks for the chillin' times. Anne- Thanx for being my UBBF (and all that). Chrissy- Thank you for being there 'cause I know you are. The AWS G's (you know who you are)- Keep chillin', homz. The Q Club- Thanx for doing what you're best at. It'sbeen real.

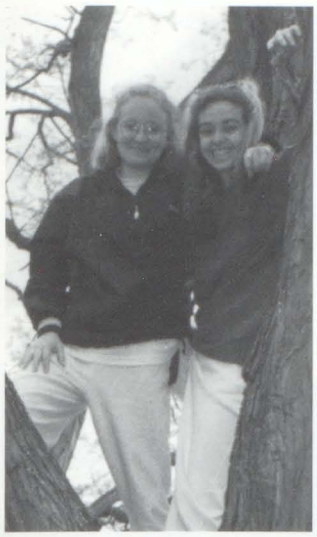








Elizabeth Marie Nutter





"True happiness is not in the multitude of friends, but in the worth and choice."
- Ben Johnson



"Your disability is your opportunity"
- Kurt Hahn



No one can truly define love, and yet with in our hearts are its words. Shelby- nothing will keep us apart. Mom and Dad- words can not express my thanks or love. I love all three of you with all my heart.



"Human beings have more layers than onions and sometimes you can peel and peel until there's nothing left, and you still haven't found the center." -Linda Stevinson



"If you're going to do something wrong, at least enjoy it"
- Leo Rosten

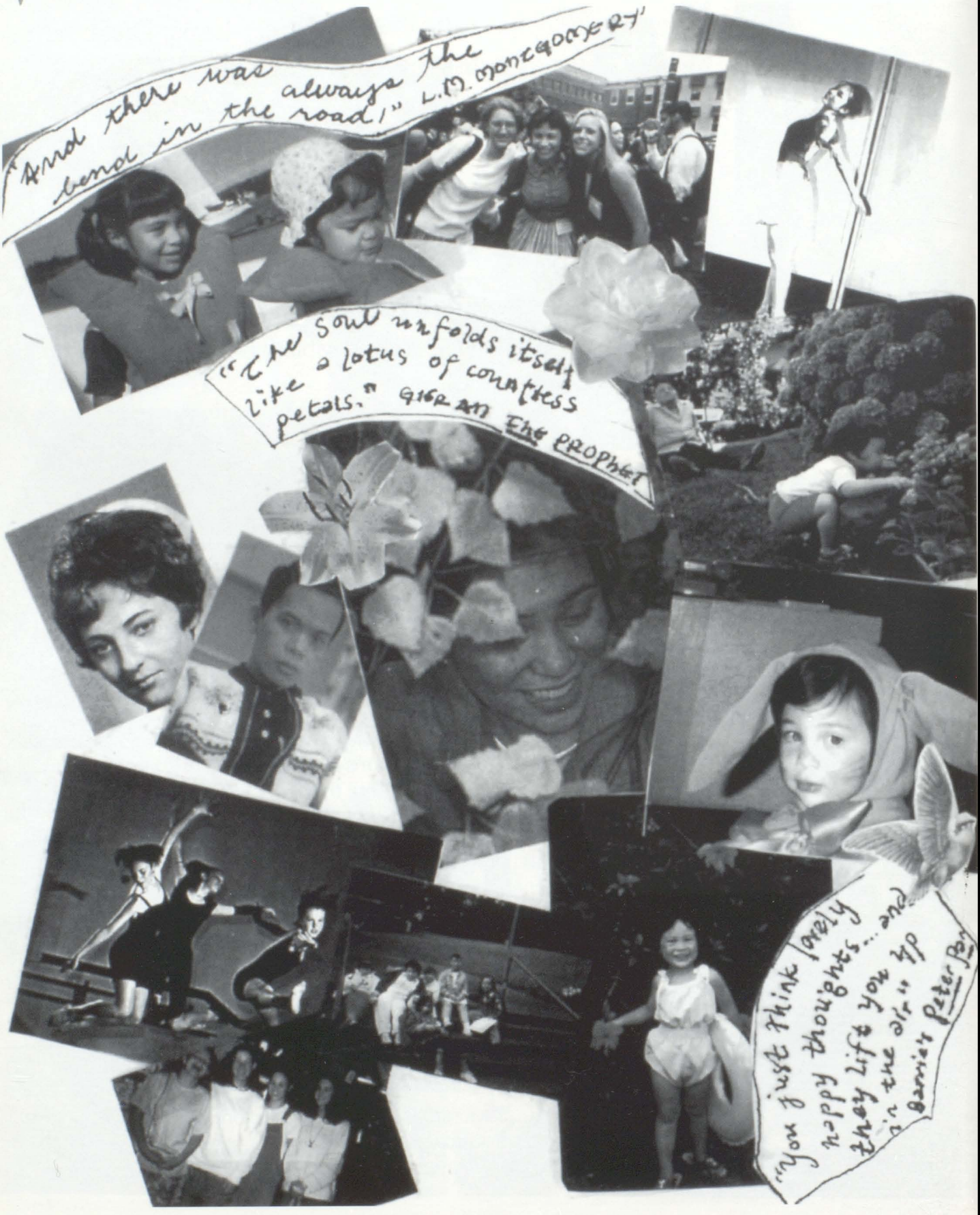


"The heart has its reason, which reasons cannot know."
- Blaise Pascal

Well, girls, we have come a long way. . . never let the distance get the best of us.
"Angels have a past and sinners have a future."
-Steve Forbes

Jochelle Elise Pereña

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Marion Elise Peters



"I dwell in possibility." -Emily Dickinson





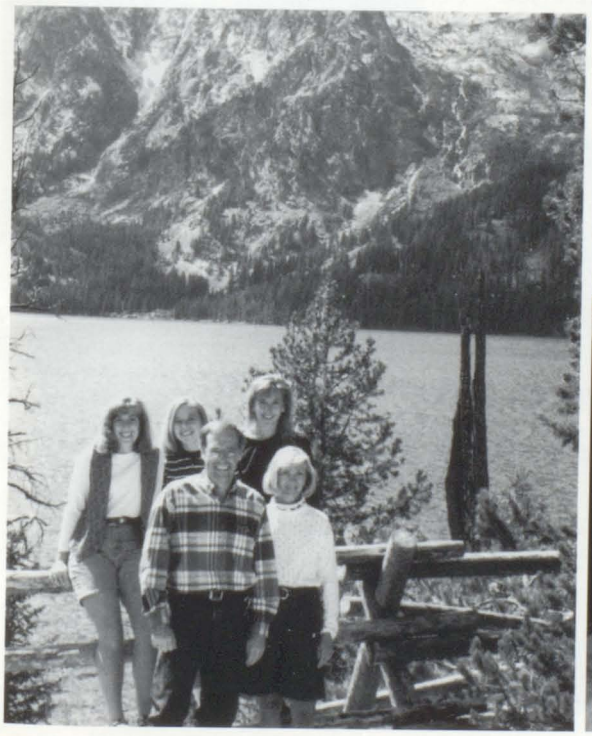


Thank you, Idaho, for all my diamond days!



"You don't know, or maybe you do, how wonderful a feeling it give you when you know somebody love you and that's just the way it is."

-Alice Walker







Emalee Peterson

Class of 1997



I am so grateful to you for all of the sacrifices you have made for me and will spend my life trying to compensate for them. I love you, Mom, Dad and family, especially Hannah.



This is the way it should be, the three of us together, just like in Minnesota. Remember!? I love you, Titi, and I always will. Love, Em



This picture is a true symbol of all the things you have been to me since the day we met. Most importantly a true friend, but also an advisor, a teacher, a confidante, and, as evident, a lender. I love you so much, and I hope you know just how deeply.

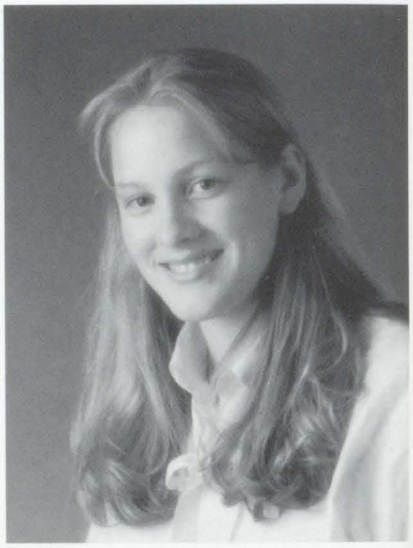




All our lives we've done everything together, including playing, talking, working, and even Annie Wright. I couldn't have made it without you. Next year, no matter what you decide, I will be with you. I love you and I always will. Love, Your Big Sister



You've made it from here to here and you can make it to there if you just remember who you are, why you're here and where you're going!



Kate the Great, I just want you to have it in writing that you have a corner of my heart and that I know you're a special person. I will miss you so much! We'll keep in contact, but look at this every once in a while.

I love you, Em

Yellow ties, I wish I could fit you all on this page, but I can't so this will have to suffice. You have greatly affected my life in so many positive ways, especially those of you who have helped me make it from the beginning. I love you all very much with all my heart, especially you, Erin and Marion.

Love, your forever classmate and friend,

Emalee

The End...
and the Beginning

Irma Pietojo



A Friend
In Need

Is a Friend
Indeed.



Love ya
Always







Noriko Shirakashi

Class of 1997

















Jaydee Shoemake

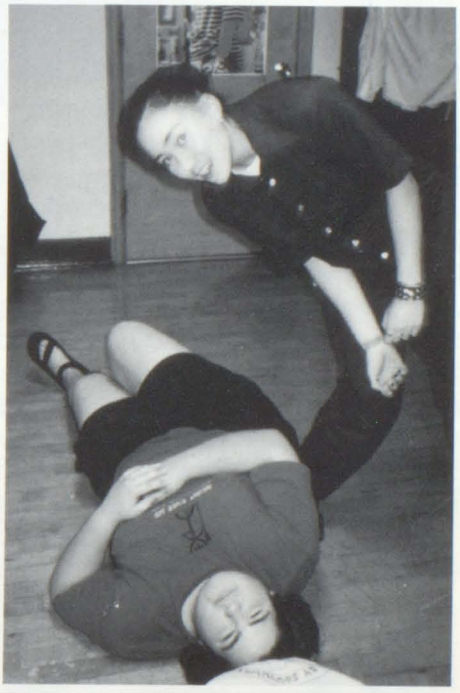










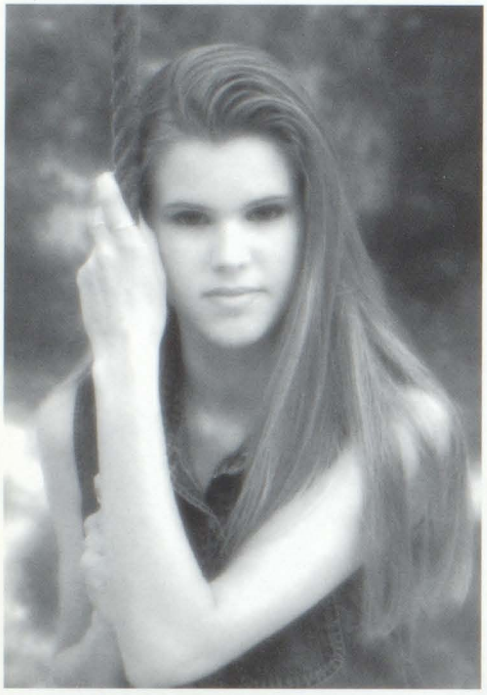


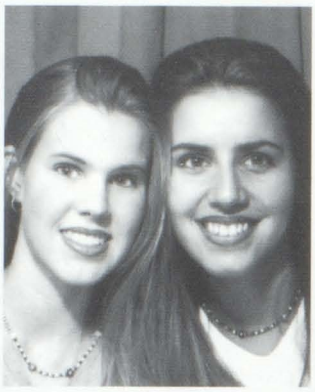


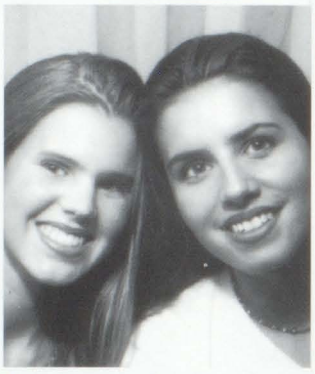


Audrey Sortland

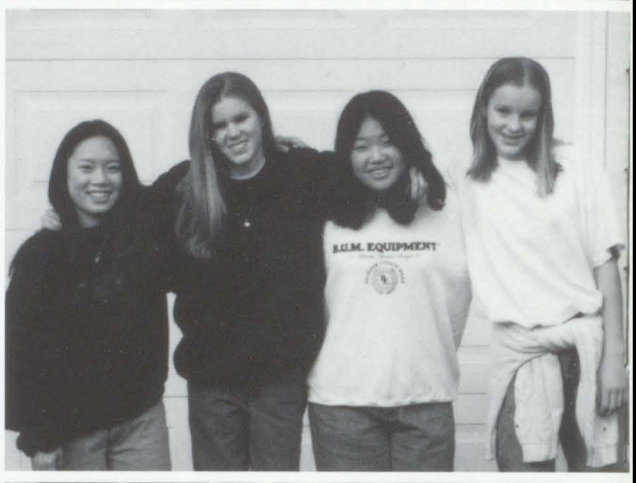
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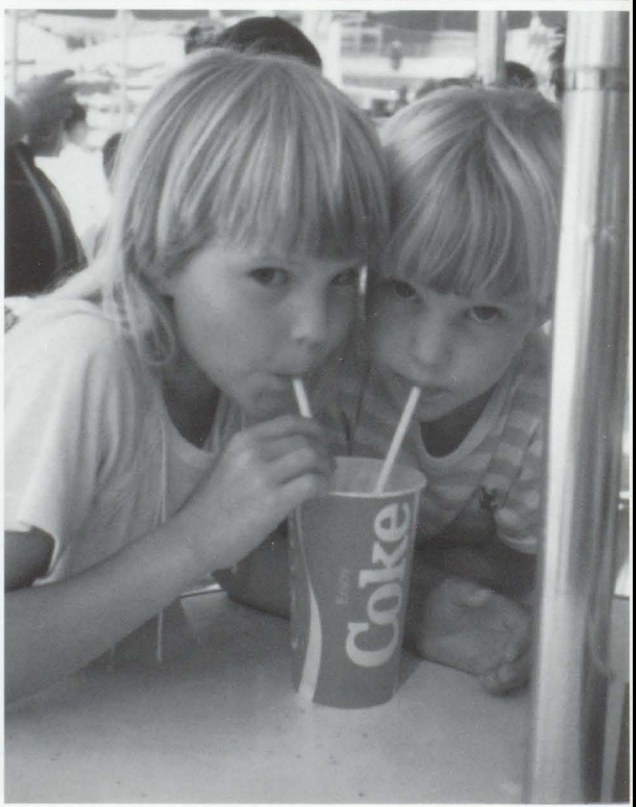








To my family- Thanks for all your love and support! You've always been there when I needed you most, I love you. Karinna and Andrew- I'm gonna miss you guys! Jenn- Santa Cruz Baby! Lost in San Francisco, trips to the "Eastside", cruisin' Ruston, the "Nicks", crew boys, public school, bike helmets and goggles, and much more. Best friends forever! Thanks for all your patience and understanding. I'll never forget all the great times we've spent together, love ya like a sista! To the Maliskas- Thanks for everything. Erin and Emalee- You guys are great, thanks for being there. To the Q-Club- Mega Goods and Prom'96. Keep the memories alive and keep doin' your thing. Christy, Alisa, Paul, and Joey- Thanks for all the laughs and memories. Best wishes and good luck to the rest of the yellow ties.





Go kindly.
Spread sunshine.
Be honest with yourself.
Don't hurt anyone.
Let yourself feel.
Be kind.
Respect all others.
Live happily with what you have.
Don't hesitate to smile.
Be the light of your life.
Listen to your body.
Keep your promises.
Follow your heart.





Seniors Heather Bamford, Joey Pereña and Hiori Eijima know the real meaning of quality .



These middle school students and teacher Erika Dresser ham it up for the camera.

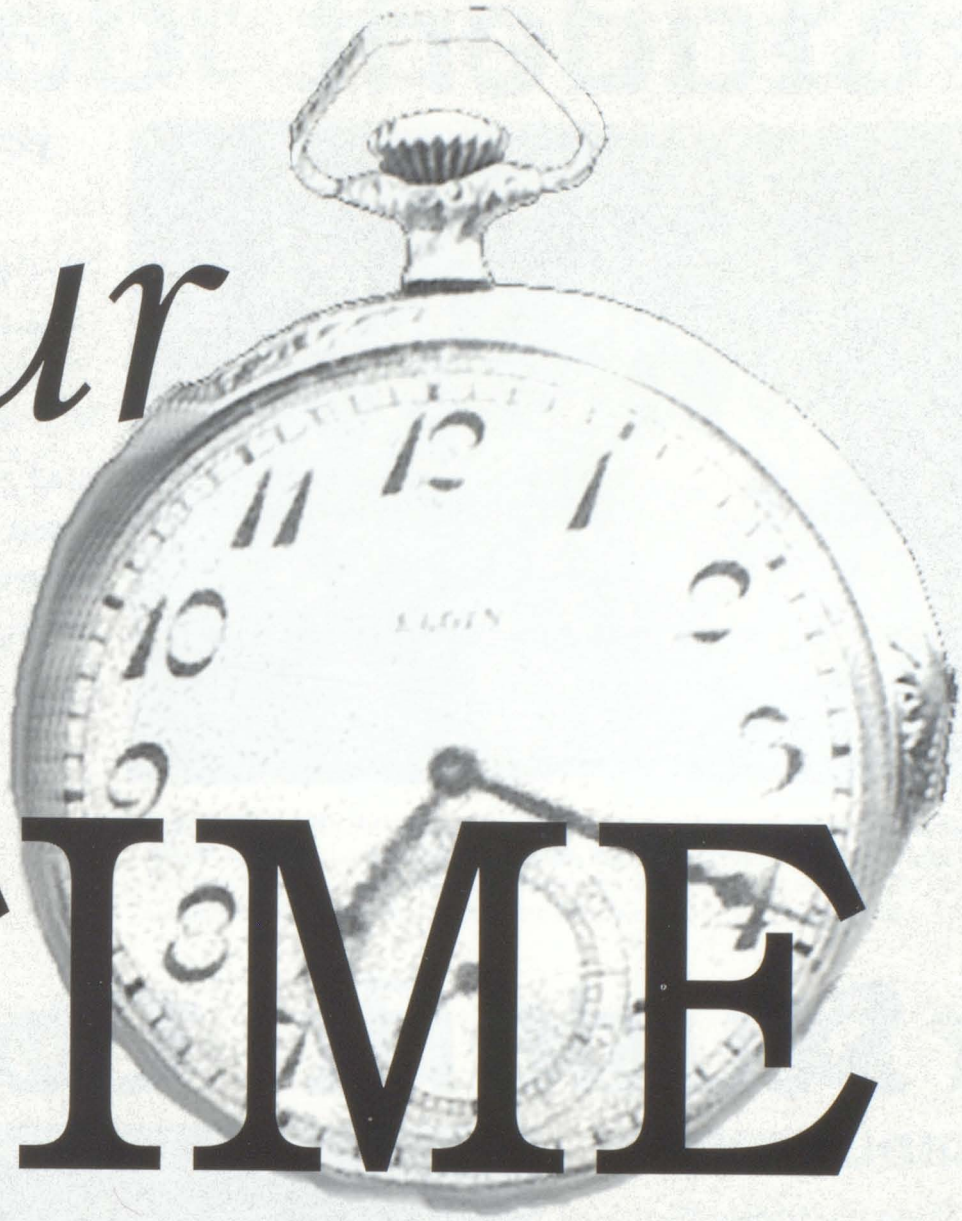


Second graders on a field trip to the Nisqually Delta.



Clair Yunker, Sarah Scamehorn and Kelly Blume pretend they are seniors on the senior stairs.

Our TIME *together*



■ ■ GROUPS: CLUBS AND ORGANIZATIONS ■ ■

☆Student Council

LOWER SCHOOL



The Lower School Student Council is proud to begin a tradition of a "civvies week" in February. We are proud of our sock and shoe drive and penny drive that helps the Tone School. We also think students have been nicer to each other this year.

BACK ROW: Hayden Taylor. Matthew Wong, Erin Sturrock. MIDDLE ROW: Kiera Miller, Nadira Adatia, Joe Leighton, Tahira Adatia, Lydia Diaconou. FRONT: Torie Pascoe.

☆Student Council

MIDDLE SCHOOL

The Middle School Student Council's responsibilities include dances, school assemblies, community service, and other activities.



LEFT TO RIGHT: Joy Ottum, Vanessa Padelford, Megan McNamara, Allison Rone, Courtney Carrara, Christine Mintz, Ashley Fuson, Amy Anton, Gillian Wemyss, Taryn Anderson, Jamie Kulpa, Heather Dillner, Ben Leighton, Alex Mungia, Derek Attig.

Student Council ☆

UPPER SCHOOL

"This year, Student Council really worked hard to bring the student body of AWS closer together. Attending the Washington Student Leadership Conference in August allowed us to bring back ideas to help make this school year go more smoothly. Throughout the year we noticed increased morale and vivacity in the students, partially as a result of Student Council-sponsored activities."

-Erin Fletcher, President



BACK ROW: May Liao, Marie Pasquale, Katrina Marcinowski, Fiona Hatfield. MIDDLE ROW: Lucky Rowen-Granoski, Katherine Burns, Dominique Godderis, Heather Bamford, Liz Nutter, Cassie Reeves, Jaydee Shoemake. FRONT ROW: Caroline Clabaugh, Joey Pereña, Erin Fletcher, Sierra Thompson, Gillian Wood.

Honor Board ☆



BACK ROW: Amber Griffith, Joey Pereña. FRONT ROW: Lucky Rowen-Granoski, Lorraine Emerson, Alacia Welch.

UPPER SCHOOL

"Honor Board is a group of five students which promotes the Honor Code of the school community and recommends disciplinary actions to the director of the Upper School for the breaking of the code"

-Joey Pereña, Head

☆Knowledge Bowl

UPPER SCHOOL



"Knowledge Bowl, also known as Knerd Bowl, is a group of students who compete against other schools in a competition of the mind."

-Liz Nutter, Captain

STANDING: Jamie Patchins, Stephanie Smith, Marie Rosenburg, Lauren Moses, Caroline Clabaugh, May Liao, Kate Edwards, Amy Nam, Katrina Marcinowski. KNEELING: Megan Cleaver, Robin Barrick, Liz Nutter, Heather Bamford, Elena Federova, Lynne Smith. NOT PICT'D: Lucky Rowen-Granoski, Hannah Lee, Elizabeth Melson

☆Math Team

UPPER SCHOOL

"The math team gives students who enjoy math the opportunity to exercise and enhance their skills through practice and competition."

-Caroline Clabaugh and Gillian Wood, co-chairs



BACK ROW: Sharon Park, Angela Liu, Robin Barrick, Noriko Shirakashi, Stephanie Smith, Sarah Crow, Elena Federova, Chris Henderson, Jamie Patchins, May Liao, Ji Sun Oh, Melanie Kim FRONT ROW: Marie Rosenberg, I-Lin Lin, Irma Pietojo, Caroline Clabaugh, Gillian Wood, Lynne Smith. NOT PICT'D: Joey Pereña.

Unity Through Diversity ☆

UPPER SCHOOL

"Unity Through Diversity addresses cultural, racial, and sexual issues that affect our school community as well as society."

-Dayna Smith and Jasmine Bridges, Co-chairs



BACK ROW: Dayna Smith, Jasmine Bridges, Amanda Barg, Sonja Morgan, Claire Yunker, Marie Rosenburg, Amanda Parsons, Hannah Lee, Irma Pietojo, Katrina Marcinowski, Keisha Luke FRONT ROW: Shilpi Mathur, Lauren Moses, Julie Beard, Sarah Crow, Martha Laughman, Jules McGraw, Chantra Siv, Kristen Murray, Erin Fletcher

International Club ☆



BACK ROW: Lily Letts, Clare Fok, Dina Sosunova, Robin Barrick, Emaleen Peterson, Jrina Harlampjeva, I-Lin Lin, Sally Kuo, Olivia Chang, Marie Pasquale, Ji Sun Oh, Sharon Park, Na Yeon Kim. SECOND ROW: Angela Liu, Reina Sakagawa, Dayna Smith, Sarah Crow, Tyana Burslie, Kacie Meager, Shilpi Mathur, Elena Federova. NOT PICT'D: Birte Kalveram.

UPPER SCHOOL

"International club is an organization that tries to enhance cultural awareness within the Annie Wright community through the International Week and various field trips."

-May Liao, President

☆ T.A.S.C.

UPPER SCHOOL

"For every individual to truly appreciate their place in this global community, humanity must come first. TASC allows the members of this AWS community to get involved in service and care for their fellow humans."

-Dominique Godderis, President



BACK ROW: Claire Yunker, Cassie Reeves, Kate Monthy THIRD ROW: May Liao, Kelly Blume, Amber Griffith, Marion Peters, Dayna Smith, Gillian Wood SECOND ROW: Jaydee Shoemake, Hiori Eijima, Joey Pereña, Heather Bamford FRONT ROW: Dominique Godderis, Amy Nam, Lorraine Emerson STANDING: Sarah Scamehorn, Sierra Thompson.

☆ Environmental Club

UPPER SCHOOL

"Recycling: it's easy to do!"

-Heather Bamford and Jaydee Shoemake, Presidents



BACK ROW: Cassie Reeves, Kate Monthy, Kacie Meager. THIRD ROW: Selena Soo, Claire Yunker, Kelly Blume, Amber Griffith, Marion Peters, Sonja Morgan. SECOND ROW: May Liao, Hiori Eijima, Joey Pereña, Dominique Godderis. FRONT ROW: Jaydee Shoemake, Heather Bamford. NOT PICT'D: Laurie Hickey.

Social Dance ☆

UPPER SCHOOL

"Social Dance is a group of students who plan social functions throughout the year, including the fall and winter dances and other fun events."

-Liz Nutter, President



BACK ROW: Elizabeth Selman, Yoo Sun Kim, Min-Jin Hwang, Sharon Park, Melanie Kim, Kathy Kim, Shin Hye Cho. FOURTH ROW: Marion Peters, Amber Griffith, Sara Colyer, Ida Peterson, I-Lin Lin, Joanne Chan, Lindsey Allen. THIRD ROW: Danielle DeVaux, Claire Yunker, Sarah Scamehorn, Kate Edwrads, Lucky Rowen-Granoski, Ji Sun Oh. SECOND ROW: Michelle Cho, Marcail Webb, Liz Nutter, Dayna Smith. NOT PICT'D: Jasmine Bridges, Jennifer Maliska, Audrey Sortland

Masque Players ☆

UPPER SCHOOL



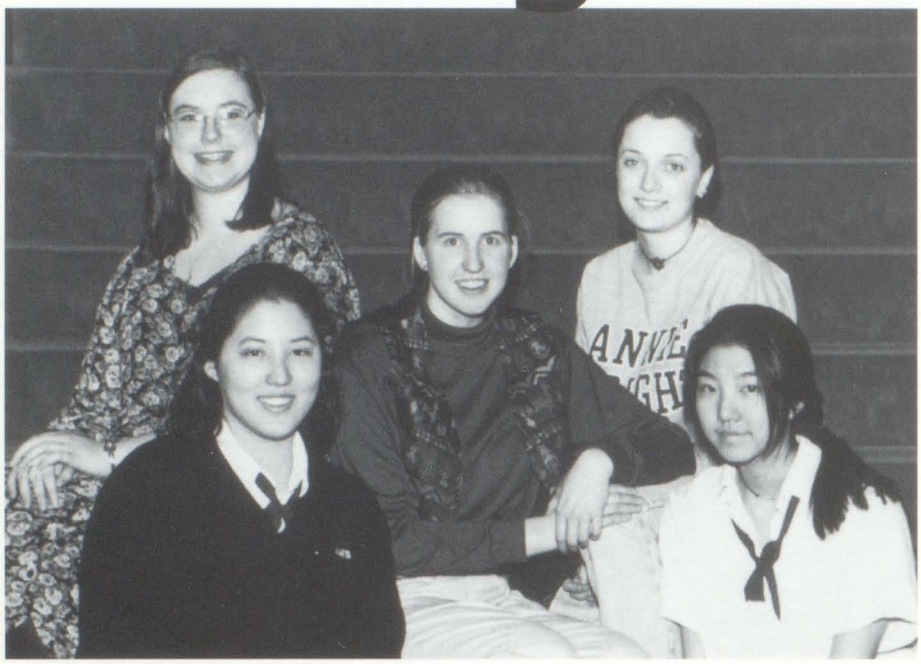
"Masque Players is a group of students devoted to, interested in, or some would say, obsessed with theatre, its appreciation and its inner workings."

-Lucky Rowen-Granoski, President

BACK ROW: Lucky Rowen-Granoski. THIRD ROW: Megan McCloskey, Caroline Clabaugh, Katie Magnuson, Liz Nutter. SECOND ROW: Birte Kalveram, JR Maxwell, Elise Eriksen, Ruth Bonazza, Jemma Perena, Adrienne Ortega. FRONT ROW: Robin Barrick, Megan Cleaver, Alacia Welch, Chris Henderson, Julie Beard, Lauren Moses, Sarah Clifthorn, Christi Shiner.

☆String Ensemble

UPPER SCHOOL



The Annie Wright String Ensemble performs for a variety of school functions during the year, which include the fall play, Lessons and Carols, and the May Day celebration.

LEFT TO RIGHT: Katie Magnuson, Marie Rosenburg, Sarah Clifthorne, Lucky Rowen-Granoski, Nayeon Kim. NOT PICTURED: Lorrayne Emerson, May Liao, Amy Nam.

☆Vocal Ensemble

UPPER SCHOOL

"The Annie Wright Upper School Vocal Ensemble sings a wide variety of a capella music. This small choir has grown in both quality and number under the direction of Doug Allen."

-Heather Bamford



BACK ROW: Fiona Hatfield, Ida Peterson, Clare Fok, Emalee Peterson, JR Maxwell, Birte Kavalram, Doug Allen. THIRD ROW: Melanie Kim, Kanami Ninomiya, Kate Edwards, Lauren Moses. SECOND ROW: Reina Sakagawa, Noriko Shirakashi, Joanne Chan, Irma Pietojo, Katie Magnuson, Marie Rosenburg. FRONT ROW: Chihiro Harada, Liz Nutter, Heather Bamford, I-Lin Lin, Eva Poon, Yuko Tanaka.

Raynor Guild ☆

UPPER SCHOOL

"The primary goal of this year's Raynor Guild was to help everyone in the school to find a time in their lives where they could relax and find some meaning in their busy lives."

-Rebecca Kirkpatrick, President



BACK ROW: Rebecca Kirkpatrick, Heather Bamford, Chelsie Anttila. MIDDLE ROW: Elise Ericksen, Jemma Pereña, Ruth Bonazza, Stephanie Smith. FRONT ROW: Claire Yunker, Fiona Hatfield, Laurie Hickey.

S.A.C.-PEP ☆



BACK ROW: Sarah Clifthorne, Adrienne Ortega, Danielle DeVaux, Emily Allen, Julie Potter, Amanda Barg. FRONT ROW: Francesca Vizzini, Christi Shiner, Marcail Webb, Liz Nutter, Keisha Luke. NOT PICT'D: Dayna Smith.

UPPER SCHOOL

"SAC-PEP is a club that specializes in the athlete. Any sports related activities are passed through the ready hands of the members."

-Julie Potter, President

☆The Inkwell



BACK ROW: Caroline Clabaugh, Lauren Moses, Elizabeth Melson, Irma Pietojo, Katherine Burns. FRONT ROW: Julie Potter, Noriko Shirakashi, Sarah Crow, Alacia Welch, Laurie Hickey, Hannah Lee.

UPPER SCHOOL

"The Inkwell is the Upper School student newspaper. The hardworking staff produces about one issue a month for the enjoyment and education of Upper School students."

-Katherine Burns, Editor

☆Nat'l Honor Society

UPPER SCHOOL

"As inductees of the Annie Wright Seminary's private sector of the National Honor Society, we indefatigably strive to uphold the four pillars of this fine institution. These are leadership, service, citizenship, and scholarship."

-Sierra Thompson and Erin Fletcher



BACK ROW: Erin Fletcher, Sierra Thompson, Christi Shiner, Elena Federova.
FRONT ROW: Alacia Welch, Caroline Clabaugh, Joey Pereña.

Yearbook Staff☆



BACK ROW: Joanne Chan, I-Lin Lin, Caroline Clabaugh, Sierra Thompson, Katrina Marcinowski, Stefanie Smith, Danielle DeVaux, Megan Cleaver, Elizabeth Melson, Ruth Bonazza, Jasmine Bridges, Tobi Borst, Kate Edwards, Sarah Scamehorn, May Liao, Kelly Blume, Amanda Barg, Jemma Pereña. FRONT ROW: Fiona Hatfield, Dayna Smith, Selena Soo, Sally Kuo, Elise Ericksen, Olivia Chang, Lauren Moses, Shilpi Mathur, Julie Beard, Rachel Frazier, Elena Federova, Gillian Wood, Alacia Welch, Robin Barrick, Marie Pasquale. NOT PICTURED: Sarah Clifthorne, Advisor Kate Miner.







BACK ROW: Jeane Rosenburg, Julia Coleman, Ashley Fuson, Anne Morkill, Caitlin Lowrie, Chris Griffin. MIDDLE ROW:Kirsten Erwin, Cammy White, Casey Levy, Katherine Murto. FRONT ROW: Josh Scholtens, Brianne Bell.

"The dedicated members of the yearbook staff worked many hours on weekends and after school to create this year's Shield, which we hope will be treasured for years to come."

-May Liao and Caroline Clabugh, Editors

Many thanks to Marianne Picha, Joy Ottum, and Jeanne Schneider, and the many parents who contributed pictures for this year's Shield.

Club Activities

(Just a few...)

This year's Upper School clubs were very busy organizing and participating in activities and performances. They were so active, in fact, that numerous special schedules were held to accomodate the vast number of club meetings!















TOP LEFT: The String Ensemble practices for Lessons and Carols. TOP RIGHT: Raynor Guild officers Rebecca Kirkpatrick and Heather Bamford prepare to enter chapel. MIDDLE LEFT: Some fine entries for the Student Council pumpkin-painting contest. MIDDLE RIGHT: International Club members set up their bake sale of international foods. ABOVE LEFT: Santa's helpers (a.k.a. ASB officers Caroline Clabaugh, Joey Pereña, and Erin Fletcher) deliver gifts to the student body. ABOVE RIGHT: Emily Allen and SAC PEP president Julie Potter show their spirit in front of the SAC PEP bulletin board. LEFT: The cast members of the Fall play, Chamber Music, strangle director Carys Kresny.

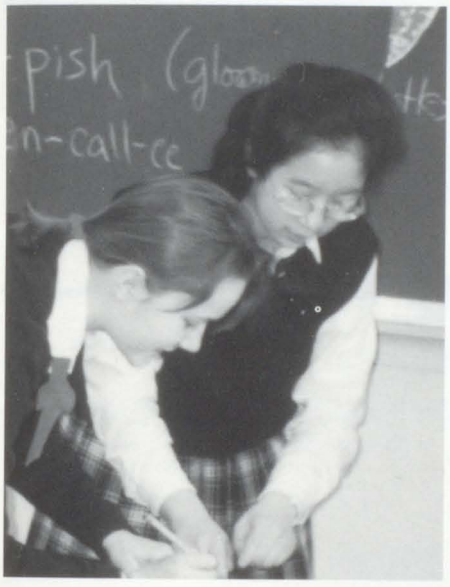




FAR LEFT:Kate, Tyana, Shilpi, Cassie, Fran, and Kacie in Indian garb the International Talent show. LEFT: Red Ties and football: a scary combination. BELOW LEFT: Ida glares at the camera at a Vocal Ensemble rehearsal; Kate tries to ignore it. BELOW: Stephanie Smith can't wait to hit that Knowledge Bowl bar.













ABOVE LEFT: Irina and Sally practice calligraphy during International Week. ABOVE: The "Un-Choir," perfectly in key, sings the National Anthem. FAR LEFT: No, NOT Alfred Hitchcck: Aristophanes' The Birds was theis year's winter play. LEFT: A few of the many birds that flocked the Kemper Center during Winter tri.



Cross Country runners I-Lin Lin and Naeyon Kim make a dash for the finish line.



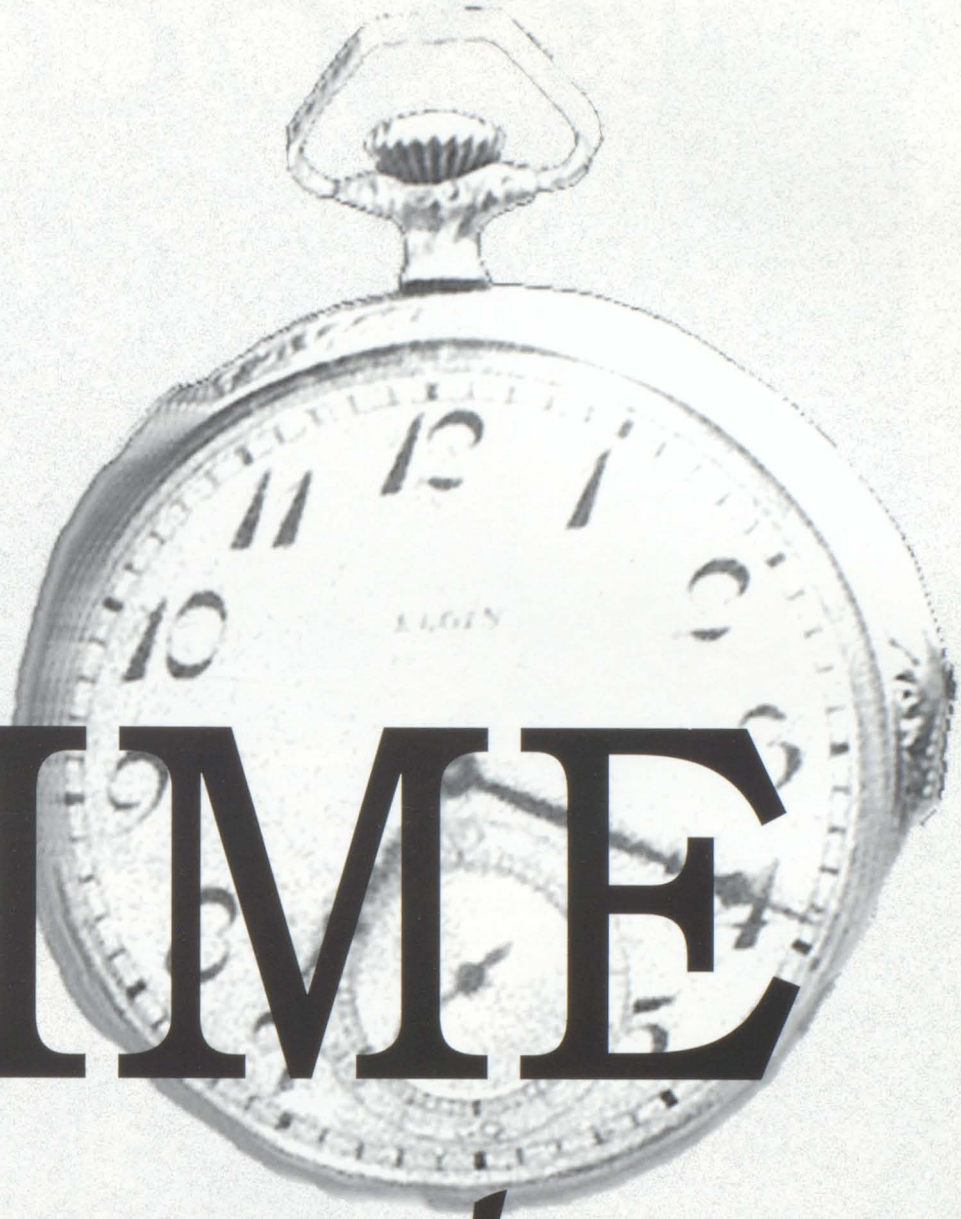
Lower School students enjoy a game of handball at recess.



Second grader Renee Bakker-Zenon perfects her jumproping skills.



Sleeping is a popular sport at Annie Wright, as these Middle School students demonstrate.



TIME *out!*

SPORTS

GIRL'S SOCCER



TOP ROW: Coach Matthew Struckmeyer, Lindsey Rue, Brittany Bruce, Christine Mintz, Lauren Komorous, Anne Morkill, Ashley Fuson, Laura Lind, Courtney Carrara, Katie Smith, Brett Meager, Casey Leo, Coach Robert Owens. BOTTOM ROW: Kirsten Lind, Heather Dillner, Fiona Elam, Hillary Bruce, Megan MacNamara, Jessica Holman, Allison Rone, Jordan Drosdick, Amy Anton, Athena Macy, Sarah Furman, Hala Baghdati.











BACK ROW: Brendan Clark, Cheny Vidrine, Vince Vidrine, Dwight Donaldson, Coach Emil Verbovski. MIDDLE ROW: Alex Diacaonou, Joe Tucci, Lee Cohen, Brian Lert, Tyler Fulcher, David Pannen, Gar Hansen. FRONT ROW: Paul Verbovski, Gabe Wood, Ryan Schnizer, Pierre Briand, Jim Lowry, Gregory Ray.





BOY'S SOCCER

Volleyball







CROSS COUNTRY



BACK ROW: Alex Mungia, Jon Paul, Derek Lert, Coach Dave Arnold, Stephen Lee. FRONT ROW: Jesse Williams-Proudman, Brett Hampton, Graff Haley, Patrick Fletcher, Josh Sholtens, Kyle Drosdick, Kate Dorsett.



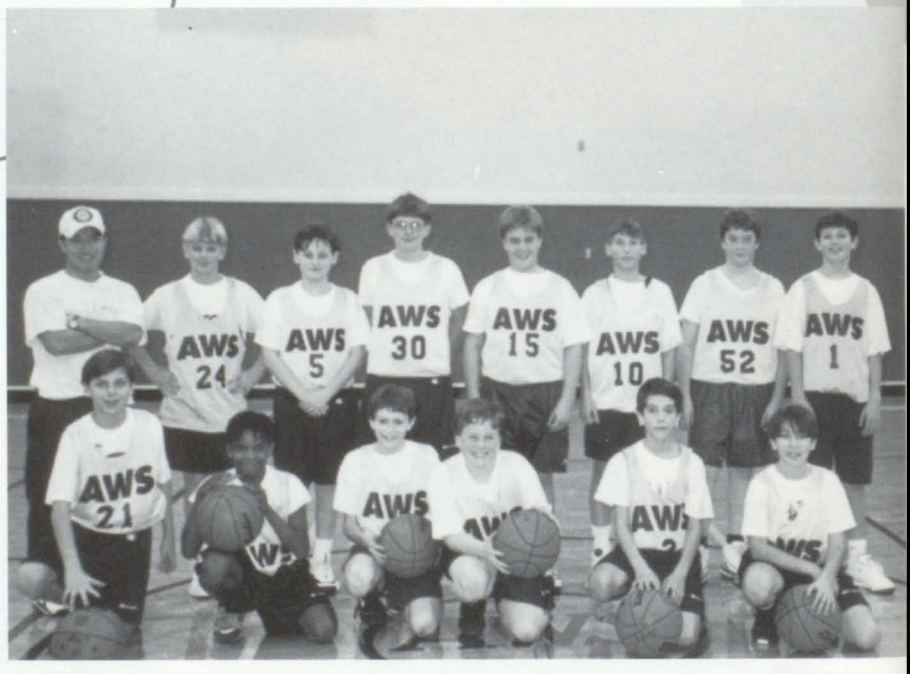
BOYS' BASKETBALL

VARSITY



BACK ROW: Gar Hansen, Cheney Vidrine, Vince Vidrine, Dwight Dehrkoph, Tyler Fulcher.
FRONT ROW: Alex Diaconou, Joe Tucci, Jon Paul, Lee Cohen, David Dehrkoop.

JUNIOR VARSITY



BACK ROW: Denny Wong, Gabe Wood, Nick Anderson, Jim Lowery, Brendan CLark, Paul Verbovski, Greg Ray, Graff Haley.
FRONT ROW: Alex Mungia, Patrick Fletcher, Jesse Williams-Proudman, Ben Leighton, Brett Hampton, Pierre Briand.



VARSITY

BACK ROW: Lindsey Rue, Courtney Carrara, Ashley Fuson, Anne Morkill, Khushbu Walia. FRONT ROW: Christine Mintz, Megan McNamara, Amy Anton, Lauren Komorous.

JUNIOR VARSITY

BACK ROW: Kacie Meager, Jennifer Campau, Jamie Kulpa-Hauser, Kirstin Erwin, Laura Lind, Cammy White, Casey Levy, Julie Potter, Kate Dorsett., MIDDLE ROW: Brett Meager, Katie Andrews, Desireah Palmer, Jordan Drosdick, Allison Rone, Athena Macy. FRONT ROW: Caroline Griffin, Casey Leo, Fiona Elam, Aditi Mathur.







GIRLS' BASKETBALL

Soccer



The soccer team goes through its beloved warm-up ritual.



Lindsey Allen dribbles nimbly through the Charles Wright defense.



Tyana *really* wants that ball!



BACK:
Sarah Scamehorn, Kacie Meager, Cassie Reeves, Marie Pasquale, Christi Shiner, Caroline Clabaugh, Kelly Blume, Lindsey Allen, Sarah Hwang, Melanie Kim.
FRONT:
Jasmine Bridges, Meghan Babin, Lindsay Crane, Coach Duke Paulsen, Coach Marion Schwartz.
VERY FRONT:
Tyana Burslie, Alacia Welch.

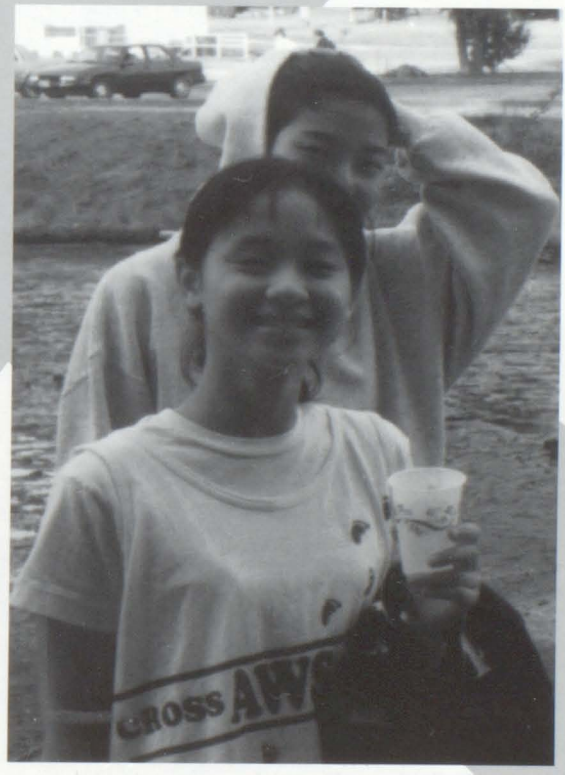
CROSS COUNTRY



BACK ROW: Coach Sandra Smith, Coach Erika Dresser, Naeyon Kim, I-Lin Lin, Shilpi Mathur, Lynne Smith, Coach Paul Manning. FRONT ROW: Joanne Chan, Robin Barrick, Angela Liu, Selena Soo. NOT PICT'D: Dayna Smith



The team takes advantage of a beautiful day by training on the Waterfront.



Joanne and Nayeon do some serious preparation for the upcoming race.

Volleyball

VARSITY



BACK ROW: Ida Peterson, Kate Edwards, Jennafa Kuss, Hiori Eijima, Katrina Marcinowski, Lauren Moses, coach Joe Park. FRONT ROW: Amber Griffith Jaydee Shoemake, Liz Nutter, Julie Potter. NOT PICTURED: Shelby Nutter.



Junior Varsity

BACK ROW: Kristin Murray, Reina Sakagawa, Martha Laughman, Kanami Ninomiya. MIDDLE: Adrienne Ortega, Chantra Siv, Marie Rosenburg. FRONT: Shelby Nutter.






GATOR


GATORS


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BASKETBALL

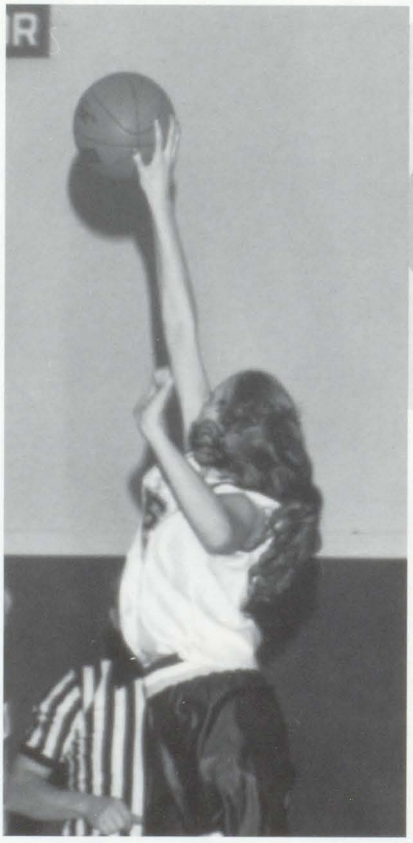


KC the superdog was this year's basketball mascot (Abercrombie was busy.)

VARSITY



BACK ROW: Sara Colyer, Kelly Blume, Julie Potter, Christi Shiner, Marie Pasquale, Keisha Luke. FRONT: May Liao, Caroline Clabaugh, Francesca Vizzini, Kacie Meager, Amber Griffith. FLOOR: Manager Alacia Welch.



Julie Potter shows Michael Jordan how its done.

JV



BACK ROW: Lynne Smith, Danielle Devaux, Jessica Knutson, Dayna Smith. MIDDLE ROW: Sarah Crow, Reina Sakagawa, Olivia Chang. FRONT ROW: Selena Soo, Amanda Parsons, Ohh Ngamsappasilp, Emily Allen. NOT PICTURED: Irina Harlampjeva, May Liao, Shilpi Mathur.



BELOW: Fran flashes the secret basketball signal - we still don't know what it means.









ABOVE: The stats keepers are, as usual, not paying too much attention to the game. LEFT: Amanda prepares to bow down to the ball as a sign of her great respect for it.



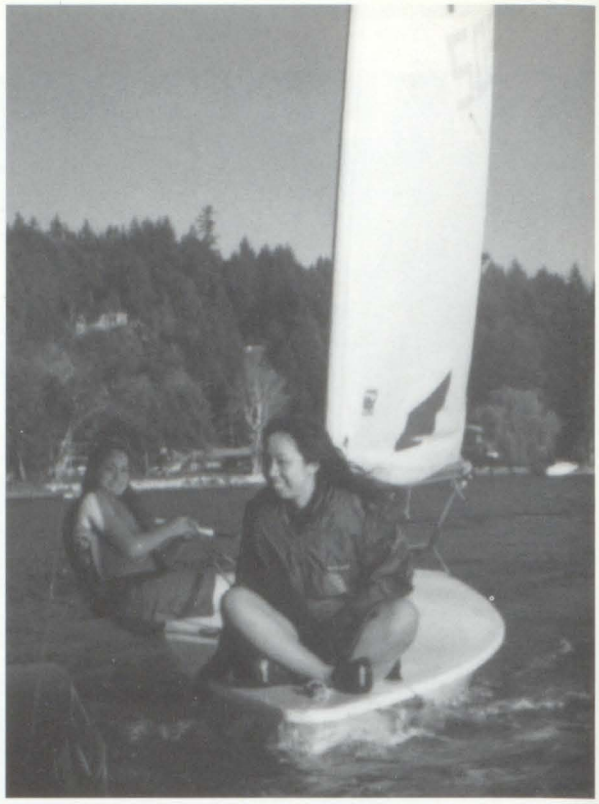
Kelly and Christi keep on their toes during the game.



SAILING

Twelve students braved cold Wollotchett Bay waters and the general lack of wind this season. Everyone sailed the 13 foot Lasers for six weeks followed by a week on a Cal 43 foot sloop. With some friendly competition and lessons in knots and navigation, all showed solid seamanship skills by the end of the season.

Coach: Vince Beyette
Assistant coach: Katia Ivashchenko











VARSITY
Heather Bamford
Katherine Burns
Laurie Hickey
Rebecca Kirkpatrick
Claire Yunker



JUNIOR VARSITY
Merissa Gremminger
Jrina Harlampjeva
Birte Kalveram
Katie Magnuson
Noriko Shirakashi
Stefanie Smith
Marcail Webb

CREW



TOP ROW: Joanne Chan, Jasmine Bridges, Sarah Crow, Chelsie Anttila, Lauren Moses, Julie Beard, Kate Edwards, Sarah Scamehorn. MIDDLE ROW: Angela Liu, I-Lin Lin, Irina Harlampjeva, Birte Kalveram, Dina Sosunova, Elizabeth Melson, Katrina Marcinowski, Selena Soo, Dayna Smith. FRONT ROW: May Liao, Marie Rosenburg.

TENNIS



BACK ROW: Adrienne Ortega, Jill Nogroski. MIDDLE ROW: Alacia Welch, Sally Kuo, Nayeon Kim. FRONT ROW: Christi Shiner, Caroline Clabaugh, Olivia Chang, Kanami Ninomiya. NOT PICTURED: Kelly Blume, Michelle Chun, Eleva Federova, Melanie Kim, Yoo Sun Kim, Jessica Knutson, Shilpi Mathur, Amy Nam, Liz Nutter, Marie Pasquale.









SOFTBALL



BACK ROW: Sherlby Nutter, Marion Peters, Katherine Burns, Laurie Hickey. MIDDLE ROW: Amber Griffith, Tyana Burslie, Lindsay Allen. FRONT ROW: Michelle Cho, Lucky Rowen-Granoski, Keisha Luke, Meghan Cleaver. NOT PICTURED: Reina Sakagawa.







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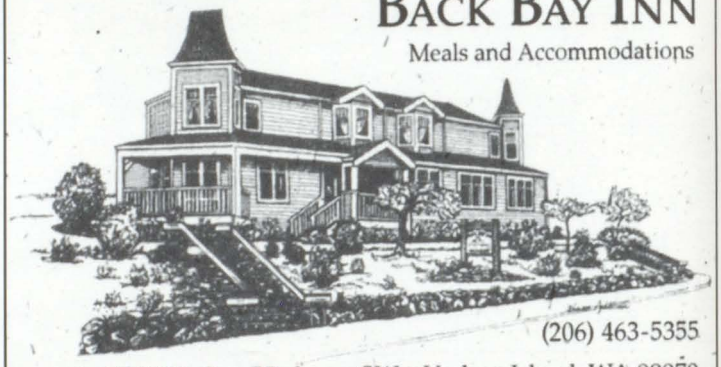
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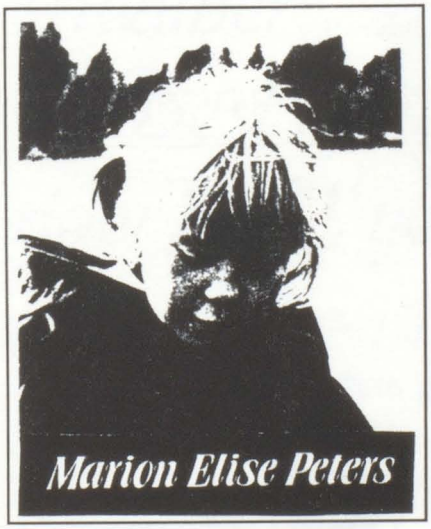
♀ Phenomenal Woman *♀* Phenomenal Woman *♀* Phenomenal Woman *♀* Phenomenal Woman *♀*

Because you are enraged by injustice,
stirred by the beauty of all things natural,
insightfully sensitive to people around you
and open to life,
I am so proud of you.

Mom

You are on a wonderful avenue in life. Look back only with a smile.

I love you, Em



Marion Elise Peters

The greatest lesson you are taking into your future is the wonderful discovery of yourself.

I love you,
Alli

What you have learned is yours to keep. Cherish it forever. I am proud of you.
Love,
Dad

♀ Phenomenal Woman *♀* Phenomenal Woman *♀* Phenomenal Woman *♀* Phenomenal Woman *♀*

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♀ Phenomenal Woman *♀* Phenomenal Woman *♀* Phenomenal Woman *♀* Phenomenal Woman *♀*

Dear Rebecca,



"I thank my God upon every rememberance of thee."
Phillipians 1:3

My God - He sees thee-
Shine thy best-
Fling up thy Balls of Gold
Till every Cubit play with thee
And every Crescent hold-
Elate the Acre at his feet-
Upon his Atom swim-
Oh Sun - but just a Second's right
In thy long Race with him!
-Emily Dickinson



"Strength and honour are her clothing; and she shall rejoice in time to come."
Proverbs 31:31

Love, Mom



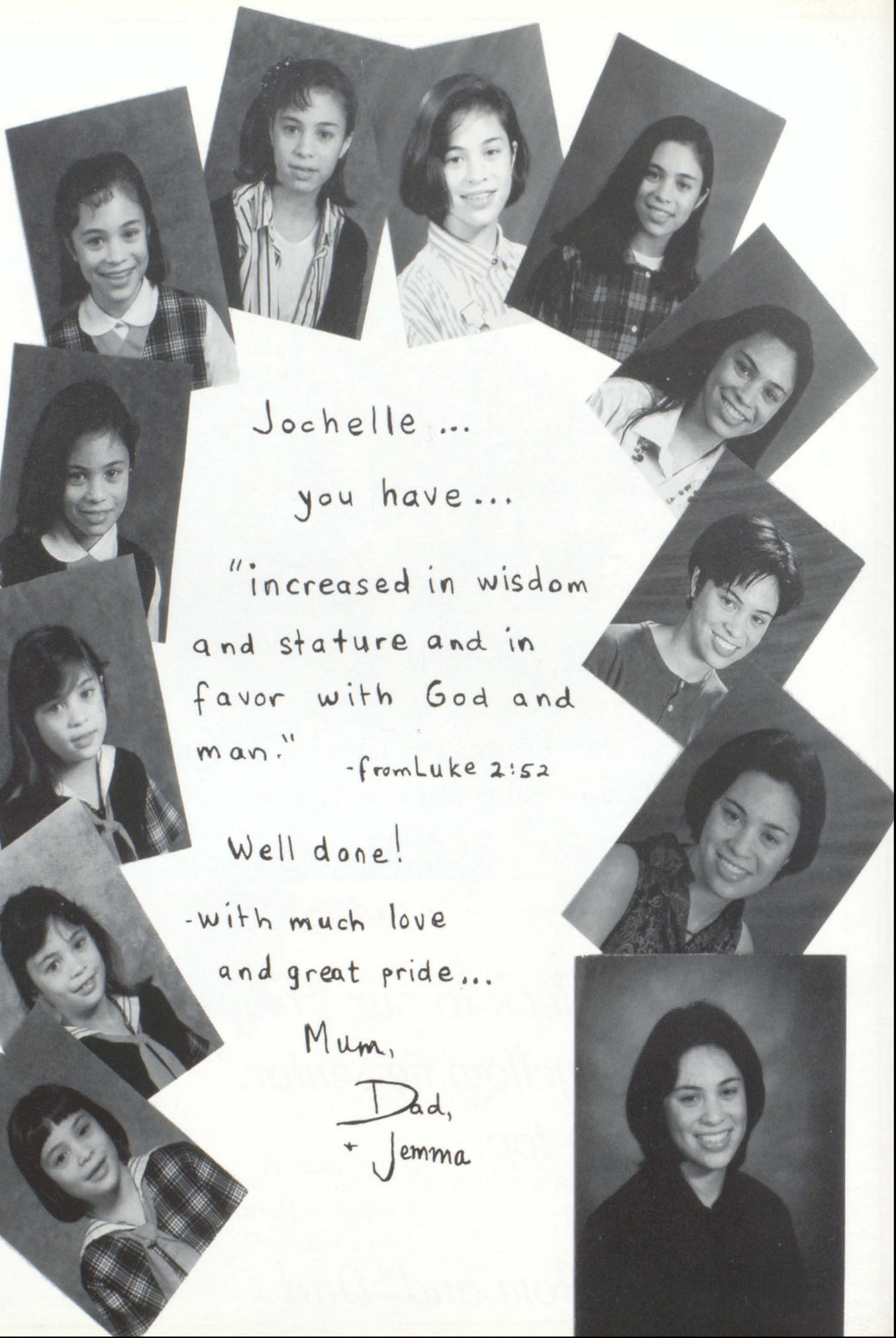
John Launstein, photo

Heather:

Best of luck to our "blue-ribbon" rider and "yellow tie senior." You came out on top.

Love,

Mom and Dad



Jochelle ...

you have...

"increased in wisdom and stature and in favor with God and man."

-from Luke 2:52

Well done!

-with much love and great pride...

Mum,

Dad,

+ Jemma

CONGRATULATIONS



DOMINIQUE

You are one of a kind;
therefore no one can really
predict to what heights you must soar. Even you
will not know until you spread your wings!

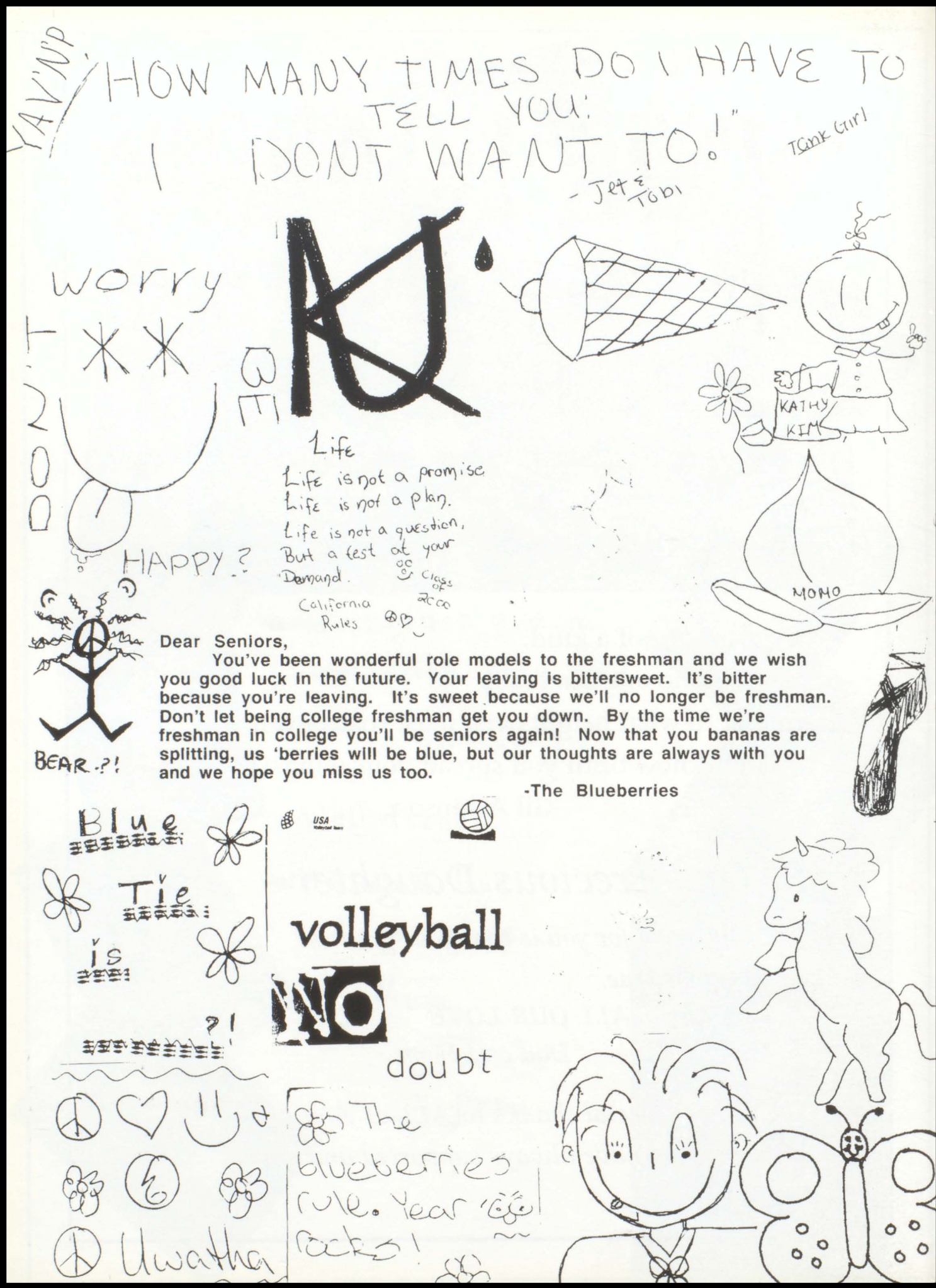
-Gil Atkinson

To Our Precious Daughter~

Our wish for you is that your greatest dreams come true.

ALL OUR LOVE
Dad and Mom

P.S. And special thanks to ALL at Annie Wright who have always supported and stood by you.


HOW MANY TIMES DO I HAVE TO TELL YOU: I DONT WANT TO!"
- Jet & Tobi
Tank Girl
DON'T worry BE HAPPY?
Life
Life is not a promise
Life is not a plan.
Life is not a question,
But a test at your
Demand.
Class of 2000
California Rules
KATHY KIM
MOMO
Dear Seniors,
You've been wonderful role models to the freshman and we wish you good luck in the future. Your leaving is bittersweet. It's bitter because you're leaving. It's sweet because we'll no longer be freshman. Don't let being college freshman get you down. By the time we're freshman in college you'll be seniors again! Now that you bananas are splitting, us 'berries will be blue, but our thoughts are always with you and we hope you miss us too.
-The Blueberries
BEAR-?!
Blue
Tie
is
?!
USA
volleyball
NO
doubt
The blueberries rule. Year '00 rocks!
Uwatha



Good luck, Bananas! We'll miss you! Love, The Green Ties

"Before we can meet again, we must depart, but if we are truly friends we will surely meet again, whether it be in this lifetime or the next.

-Anonymous

The Bananas have split....



Now the Red Ties are HOT!!



"Honor wears different coats to different eyes."

-Barbara Tuchman

Mr. Timson and Ms. Soucey

The body repeats the landscape. They are the source of each other and create each other. We were marked by the seasonal body of earth, by the terrible migrations of people, by the swift turn of a century, verging on change never before experienced on this greening planet.

-MERIDEL LE SUEUR,

"The Ancient People and the Newly Come"

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The Big Kids

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The Cousins Club

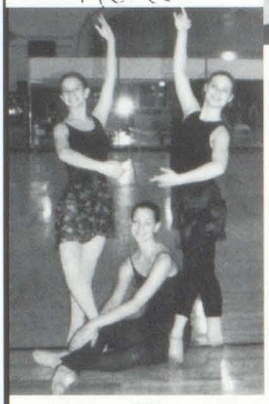
JESSICA
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ANDY
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SAM
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CHARLIE
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JACK
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GRACE

With Love and Pride in who you are and all that you will be. Always keep the Twinkle in your eyes!
Mom & Dad

"A loyal friend is like a safe shelter; find one and you have found a treasure."
-Sirach

RERRA will forever be AMAZING!
♡always,
Gilly
&
Kate





DANCE your HEART out, DOM!
♡ Gillian
&
Kate

Sierra Dom

"There are many things in life that will catch your eye, but only a few will catch your heart...pursue those."
-Successories



And a women who held a babe against her bosom said, Speak to us of Children.

And he said:

Your children are not your children.

They are the sons and daughters of Life's longing for itself.

They come through you but not from you,

And though they are with you they belong not to you.

You may give them your love but not your thoughts,

For they have their own thoughts.

You may house their bodies but not their souls,

For their souls dwell in the house of tomorrow, which you cannot visit, not even in your dreams.

You may strive to be like them, but seek not to make them like you.

For life goes not backward nor tarries with yesterday...

Amanda



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XO mom

FOR MARCAIL AND THE CLASS OF 2000

Baby boo girls all seven plus eights
Sing for the aged, the worried, the weary.
Remind us to smile with the wisdoms of youth
And to laugh at the foibles of parents.
Give us the songs of astronauts.
Sing of building, of medicine, of law.
Sing like Elizabeth, Isabel and Columbo.
Sing of Asia and finding the Saolo.



We Love Our Girl.



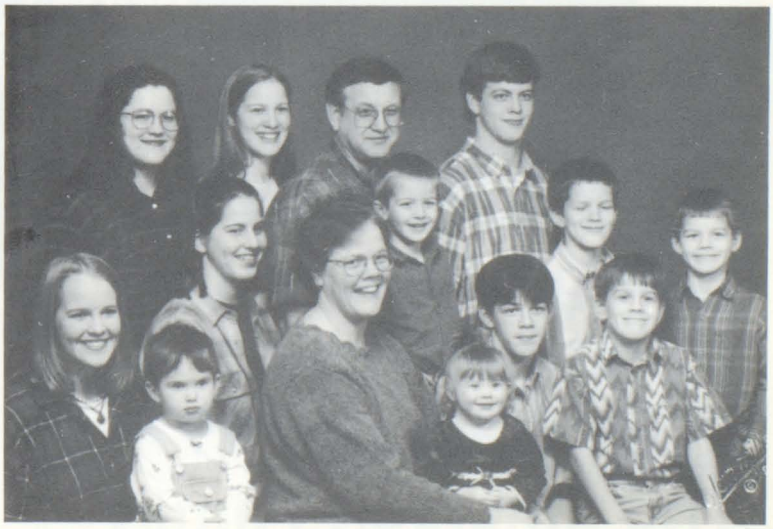
Good luck! We will always be here for you!
~Your Family

Go Demalee!

Love, Darda Darah, Den, Dida, Daul, Dohan, Douis, Dandrew, Dalbert, and Hannah (soon to be Dannah)

Remember what Dad always told you!

1) The Gospel is true
2) Heavenly Father loves you
3) Mom and Dad love you



Erin Nichole Fletcher

Erin, you are once, twice, three times a young lady, and we love you.

Mom, Dad, and Patrick

For I am dark and precious
and have such gifts to give
Sweet joy, sweet love,
Sweet laughter
Sweet wondrous life to live

-Walter Dean Myers-





What I wanted most for my daughter was that she be able to soar confidently in her own sky, wherever that might be, and if there was space for me as well I would, indeed, have reaped what I had tried to sow

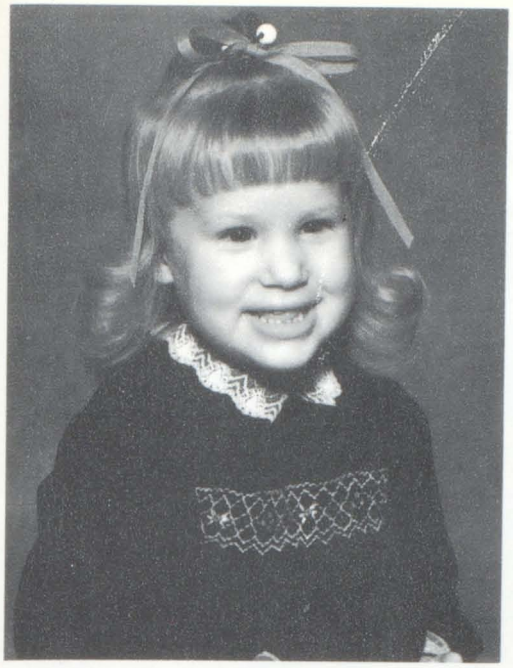
-Helen Claes-



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WAY TO GO SIERRA!!
WE LOVE YOU!



"And what is as important as knowledge?" asked the mind. "Caring," answered the heart.



Our dearest Lindsay.

Thank you for the joy! You are a lovely, bright, caring, strong young woman...spread your wings and fly. We love you!

Mom, Dad and Amy
Grandmom and Grandpop

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Congratulations to the Class of 1997!

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Welcome to the Alumnae Association!

The Alumnae Board



~May~

Congratulations to a talented young lady. You do it all: in addition to studies, there is violin, piano, singing, basketball, crew, and in-house store operation.

WE ARE SO PROUD OF YOU!

Best wishes in whatever you do and wherever you go. You will be successful.
Love always,
Mr. and Mrs Gesch
and Julie





Amber Nicole Griffith

"Whatever you wish,
Whatever you dream,
Whatever you hope to achieve...
Whatever you try for,
Whatever you plan...
It's yours if you only believe."





"What lies behind us and what lies before us are small matters compared to what lies within us."
Ralph Waldo Emerson

Amber,

You have shown us that through hard work and talent dreams do come true. If you only knew how special you have made all our lives become. You have always been a blessing and one that we are truly grateful for. We LOVE you to the moon and back

Love always,
Mom, Grandpa, Grandma, Allen, & Ashley







"The best thing you've ever done for me is help me take my life less seriously. It's only life after all."

-I.G.

Congratulations to the AWS Class of 97

We are proud of all of you and wish you success and happiness in all your future endeavors!...

From the AWS Parents' Association

The AWS Parents' Association would like to compliment the 8th Grade Class of 97 for a job well done. Good Luck in High School!

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We also wish the best to the 5th Grade Class as you make "The Big Step" into Middle School!

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BRAVO!



To Our Dearest Daughter and Sister Nadira,
Congratulations on completing Lower School. Wishing you all the best in Middle School.
We love you dearly,
Mom, Dad and Tahira

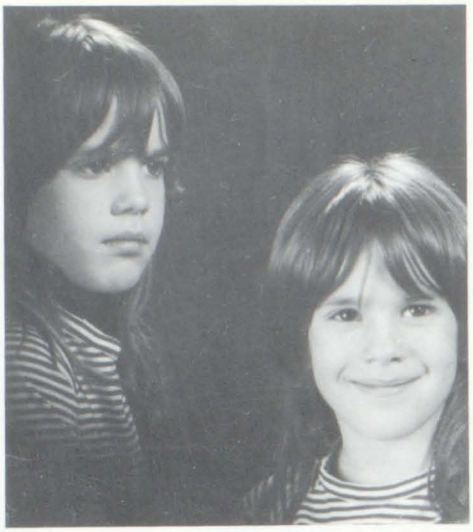


Kacie and Brett-

We are so proud of you and all that you have accomplished this year!

Love,

Mom & Dad



There is no stopping you now, Jungle Julie..... So REACH FOR THE STARS.

Mom, Dad, Jack, Victor, Michael, Paul, Susan, Rachel & Hercules

We are all very proud of your courage, cheerfulness, caring, and perseverence.

Love, Your Family



Congratulations, Derek, on completing 9 years at Annie Wright School...

and you too, Brian, for finishing your first year of middle school.





We are proud of you!
Love, Mom and Dad

To the Class of 1997:

Congratulations! We hope that you will come to think of your time at AWS as fondly as we do! We will miss you. Keep in touch.

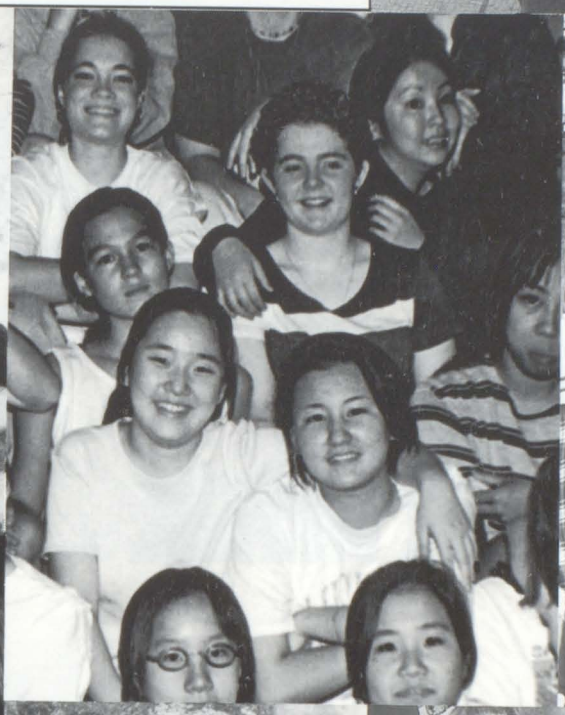
Susan Bennet and
Paul Manning











































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